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NOTES FROM ALBANY.

How Our Laws are Made—Prospects for the Coming Week—The Newspaper Claims.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ALBANY, Saturday, April 26, 1873.

The past week has been distinguished by a rapid and continuous grinding out of prospective laws not paralleled in the previous history of the session. The Assembly has devoted its attitude almost exclusively to "third readings," and, as a result, we have had sixty, seventy, and even more, bills passed each day. As it is not within every reader's experience to have attended a legislative session, or otherwise to have become familiar with its methods, a few words in regard to the various stages through which a bill passes on its way to the statute-book may not be out of place at this time. We will suppose, for convenience sake, that the village of Podunk desires to put up a new public pump, but its charter does not admit of its raising money for the purpose. An act of the Legislature is the only thing which will, under our present system of special legislation, enable the Podunkers to meet the difficulty. The village lawyer draws up a bill; it is sent to the member from the village, Mr. Emirah B. Smith, with a request to get it passed. Ready, with the bill in his hand, Mr. Smith waits till in the regular order of business the Speakers calls for the introduction of bills. During the earlier period of the session this occurs every day; later on, it may not be reached more than once or twice a week. The member will then ask for unanimous consent to introduce his bill, which is seldom refused, and may get it in at any time. When introduced it is read twice, but only by its title, and is then referred to the appropriate committee. The three several readings of a bill, it may be mentioned, come down to us from the early ages of Parliamentary law, when the members had only the readings to depend on to remember its provisions by, and the printed files which now cumber the desks of legislators were unknown. In committee the bill is looked over, and the member, if he looks after it properly, will attend the meetings of the committee and see his measure safely out of its hands. Numbers of bills are never heard of after going into committee; they may be "smothered" intentionally or neglected through press of other business, or may come out considerably amended, even to assuming an entirely new form. A bill is absolutely the property of the committee, for them to do as they please with it. When it is reported to the House, it becomes general property. If reported adversely, the question is put to the House on agreeing with the report of the committee. If agreed to, the bill is rejected on the spot. If reported favorably, it is sent "to the Committee of the Whole," placed on the calendar of "general orders," and ordered printed for the files. The Assembly had, at the beginning of this week, nearly 900 bills on its general order calendar. A bill may remain at this stage of its progress for weeks—nay, for months—and may be there still when the Legislature adjourns. Certain days in the week are now set apart for "general orders;" when there was less press of work the calendar was called every day. This is done by the Clerk reading the titles of the bills on it in succession. We suppose the watchful Mr. Smith is on the alert to hear his bill reached. If it is, and he is ready, he will say: "I move that"—i. e., "I move that the bill be now considered." Three bills having been "moved," the Speaker announces that the House will now resolve itself into Committee of the Whole on the bills moved, and calls some member to take the chair as chairman. The Clerk reads the bill by sections, and if any amendments are offered they are generally unimportant, and can only be to the special section read at the moment; the more important are offered when the reading has been completed and "general amendments" are called for. It is in committee that nearly all the really interesting discussion of a bill takes place. The strict rules of debate are somewhat relaxed to allow freer discussion, untrammeled by rules which obtain at other times. Nearly all the fighting now takes place, and when the bill gets out, its interest is generally exhausted. When the consideration of three bills is completed, the chairman leaves the chair, the Speaker resumes it, and the former reports to him what has been done. If a bill is "progressed," it simply means that the committee have not arrived at any conclusion on it, and ask leave to sit again at some other time. It will be remembered how often and how wearisomely the charter was "progressed." If the decision of the committee is favorable, the bill is recommended to a third reading. The report of the committee on each of the three bills is formally read to the House, and the question put on agreeing with it, which, in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, is done. On "third-reading days," all the bills which have been thus considered are read, (generally only a few lines of them,) and the yeas and nays must be called on the final passage of each. This long roll call is the tedious part of it, and it will be seen from the foregoing explanation how utterly devoid of interest must be the proceedings of a day devoted to calling the roll on dozens of bills, among which not more than three or four, perhaps, are of any moment except to the members who introduced them. On measures of great public interest, however, or about which there has been strong controversy, taking the final vote is a matter which is watched with much attention.

PROSPECTS FOR NEXT WEEK.

There is promise that next week will be one of considerable interest. The charter will undoubtedly become a law, by the Governor's signature, and the appointments of new Commissioners of Emigration will probably be made. In the House, the Supply bill is made the special order for Tuesday. This in itself gives sufficient promise of a lively time. How many amendments are quietly lying in members' pockets, covering all sorts of little jobs and "claims," will then be made apparent, and how much dissatisfaction exists with what is already in the bill will also be discovered in short order. The discussion of this measure has the singular peculiarity that every member of the House, with scarcely an exception, takes an active interest in it. It is a bill in which everybody seems concerned. Either he wishes to get something in it, or keep something out, or have a dash at something already there. Very seldom has it been known to get out of the House in less than three days, and sometimes has been held in its tender clutches for a week. That the bill will go through without a spirited debate is next to impossible. The item concerning the new Capitol is in itself sufficient to found one on.

Another matter likely to be troublesome is Senator Winslow's Usury bill, which will come down from the Senate. Its fate seems extremely doubtful. Members who are favorable to it shake their heads when questioned, and express doubts if it can pass a House which so viciously killed the Bonds and Mortgages bill. That, it will be remembered, could not rally fifty supporters; and the questions of usury and the exemption of bonds and mortgages from taxation are so intimately connected that it is only too probable they will be decided in the same way. The House has exhibited some remarkable changes of sentiment during the session, but none so startling as would be necessary before it passed this Usury bill.

In the Senate, the Judiciary Committee have the Police Justices' bill in charge, and such a stirring up has lately taken place among the police justices of the city in regard to it that the public hearings on the measure are sure to be made interesting by them. It is not probable that the committee will make any material amendment to it. The main question is, whether the bill shall or shall not pass; and no compromise bill is thought of by either side.

THE NEWSPAPER CLAIMS.

The aspect given to this business by the new bill on the subject reported from the Assembly Judiciary Committee, materially differs from that it wore immediately previous to their action. It was then considered by some doubtful whether any bill at all would be reported; those better acquainted with the views of the committee thought differently. It is undeniable that the parties who are pushing these claims, have been most industrious in preparing the legislative soil for a fruitful result from the numerous bills they have contrived to drop into it during the session. They have sown them broadcast; but it remains to be seen whether a majority of these claimants will be satisfied with the outcome of their labors. As evidenced in the committee's bill. It is certain that those of the Miers stamp—the men who grasped at the compensation offered them by the City, and signed full releases—are not likely to be. The bill can only be read in a manner which excludes them from its operations entirely. The organ of skilled talent seems not to be so circumstanced. Its gifted proprietor has not been at Albany all the Winter for nothing. Without him, the claimants would have been in sorry case. His experienced hand it was which has been so quietly and skillfully pushing along their bundle of claims, because his own little bill was among them. The sudden letting in of the light on these devious ways, and the prompt counter-action which followed, was a blow which was too much, even for his practiced temper to keep cool under. The battle, however, is but half fought out. No new bill is really needed, but the one in the House is backed by the favorable report of an important committee, and has that at least in its favor for final passage. It will require close watching. If it cannot be defeated, it can perhaps be made more stringent as regards the kind of evidence admissable under it; and, at any rate, it will require to be scrutinized at each stage of its progress, or the attempt will assuredly be made to insinuate amendments in the interests of the numerous horde of cormorants which in its present state find but cold comfort in its provisions.

POSTAL AFFAIRS.

Changes Ordered by the Department During the Past Week.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The following postal changes have been ordered during the past week:

IN NEW-YORK.

New Offices Established.—At Furnaceville, Wayne County, Luther J. Sandy, Postmaster.

Postmasters Appointed.—At North Branch, Sullivan County, Globart Borkmeyer, Postmaster; at McIntyre, Dutchess County, Levi M. Boice; at Whitney's Crossing, Allegany County, J. B. Hadley; at Midway, Agnin; at Washington Depot, Litchfield County, Conn., Alpheus G. Baker.

IN NEW-ENGLAND.

Offices Established.—At Londville, Hampshire County, Mass., Alpheus G. Baker, Postmaster; at West Somerville, Middlesex County, Mass., Benjamin Appin; at Washington Depot, Litchfield County, Conn., Alpheus G. Baker.

Postmasters Appointed.—At Liberty, Waldo County, Me., William Ayer; East Turner, Androscoggin County, Me., R. S. Coolidge; at Effingham, Carroll County, N. H., A. W. Clark; at Groveton, Coos County, N. H., J. B. Spaulding; at Hampstead, Rockingham County, N. H., E. S. Tabor; at North Lisbon, Grafton County, N. H., Brewster Richardson; at Windermere, Tolland County, Conn., Jno. S. Quinlan.

IN NEW-JERSEY.

Office Established.—Underwood, Cumberland County; John W. Bradway, Postmaster.

Postmasters Appointed.—Auburn, Salem County, Daniel H. Taylor.

IN MARYLAND.

Postmasters Appointed.—Grantville, Garrett County, James Glotfelty; Fairfield, St. Mary's County, Joseph O. Taylor.

IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Offices Discontinued.—Forest Lake Centre, Susquehanna County; Jacksonville, Lehigh County.

Name Changed.—Motley, Lancaster County, to Milton Grove.

Postmasters Appointed.—Beach Pond, Wayne County, Cornelius Crocker; Hemlock, Cambria County, Tobias Ashe; Paupac, Pike County, Suerdon Pellett; Tinker Run, Westmoreland County, John Brown; Cribbs, Westmoreland County, John F. Fox; Richmond, Northampton County, Edwin Kachline; Nicktown, Cambria County, Nicholas Lambour; Alton, McKean County, H. B. Spencer; Turtle Point, McKean County, E. H. Nicholas; Moorestown, Monteur County, William V. Kerr; Terre Hill, Lancaster County, Wm. Rodgers; Safe Harbor, Lancaster County, J. C. Satchell; Lyle's, Lancaster County, N. D. Scott; Bellemont, Lancaster County, Mrs. M. J. Gross; Stewarton, Fayette County, Andrew Stewart; Spring Hill Furnace, Fayette County, Thomas Williams; Monte Alto, Franklin County, David Zeigler; St. Lawrence, Cambria County, Jacob Kibber; Lemont, Centre County, Henry Ecksworth; Church, Chester County, Scott Mason; Sabbath Rest, Blair County, Edward Bell; Myersburg, Bradford County, Wm. Myer; Portland, Northampton County, R. B. Yates; Beatty, Westmoreland County, Samuel Adams.

The Siberian Exiles.

Our correspondent at St. Petersburg says, writing on the 3d inst.: Among the many reforms introduced by the Russian Government of late years the new arrangements made for the conveyance of exiles to Siberia is one of the most remarkable. Since the year 1830 the exiles were sent to Siberia on foot. They first assembled at Kharkoff, Moscow, and Nijni Novgorod, and thence proceeded to Kazan, which was the chief meeting-place of the exiles from all parts of Russia. From Kazan they went to Perm; and thence to Ekaterbarg, Timeny, and Tomsk. At intervals of twenty versts there were haltng stations, where the prisoners rested and passed the night, after which they went on with a fresh escort. The time occupied in this journey was from one to two years, and the exiles had to march in all weathers. This naturally made many of them totally unfit to proceed, and several did not reach their destination at all, having died on the way. Moreover, those who had been condemned for serious offenses had to march in chains, which, after a few weeks' marching, produced horrible wounds. Others had their hands tied, which prevented them from protecting themselves in the hot season against the flies. Finally, the Government itself had to sustain very heavy charges for escorts, provisions, transport, &c., during these long journeys. The first change was made in 1858, when the exiles were sent from St. Petersburg to Moscow by rail. In 1861 a committee was formed, under the Presidency of Herr Heyden, to improve the condition of the exiles, and in 1865 the Government appointed inspectors to consider what reforms might be desirable. One of these was stationed between Nijni-Novgorod and Timeny, and the other between Timeny and Tomsk. In 1867 Baron Villot proposed that the exiles should not march during the Winter, and that at that season of the year they should be quartered in certain towns and given employment. This proposal, which greatly alleviated the sufferings of these unfortunate people, was finally accepted by the Minister of the Interior, who at the same time directed that the prisoners should in future be conveyed by rail, steamer, or car. In 1869 the Government entered into a contract with the merchant, Mikhailoff, for the conveyance of the exiles in cars. Since 1872 they have been conveyed in strongly-made boats, towed by steamers. From Tomsk they still have to go to their destination on foot, as before. The present arrangements not only provide for the health and comfort of the exiles, but also causes a considerable saving to the Government, for instead of 186 stations, consisting of 188 officers, 493 sub-officers, 5,046 soldiers, 726 pensioners, 186 servants, and 125 horses, there were, on the 1st of January, 1873, forty-five stations only, with a smaller number of troops.

Damaging Effect of Frost on Crops.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 27.—Advices from neighboring coast sections report disastrous results to crops from the killing frost of yesterday morning. Much of the cotton will have to be replanted, and the injury to early vegetables is irreparable. Frost so late in the season has not occurred in this region for fifty years.

Navigation on the Lakes.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 27.—The propeller Equinox, the first vessel of the season, left here at 8 o'clock this morning for Cleveland, &c. At 2 P. M. she had reached Windmill Point, and was slowly working her way through a mass of floating ice which had come down from the upper lakes.

WASHINGTON.

The Legislature to Meet To-Day—The Governor's Message—Death of Commodore Aulick.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The District Legislature meets to-morrow for a sixty days' session to which it is limited by law. Gov. Cooke will transmit his message upon the organization of the two Houses. It will be a brief and business-like document, and will contain much information of interest both to citizens of the district and people outside. It will contain a statement based upon the report of the treasurer of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, showing that the total funded debt of the district is but $9,200,000 instead of $15,000,000 or $20,000,000 as has been falsely charged. It will also present an abstract of the receipts and expenditures of the Board of Public Works, showing the sources from which the funds have been realized, the purposes for which they have been expended, with the amount in each case, the amount due and unpaid for work completed, and the amount due on assessments from property which has been and is being improved. These statements are all based upon reliable data, which will be furnished in much detail in the subordinate reports, and, being officially presented, will go far toward sustaining the financial credit of the District, which a gang of unscrupulous and disreputable harpies are seeking to destroy by reckless and malicious lying.

DEATH OF A DISTINGUISHED OFFICER.

Commodore John H. Aulick, of the retired list of the navy, died at his residence in this city last night at the advanced age of eighty-five years. He had been on the retired list since about the beginning of the war. He was, during his career, from 1820 to 1860, one of the most distinguished officers of the service, ranking, in point of reputation, next to Commodore Morris. He entered the service in 1809, and was on board the Dnterprise in her fight with the Boxer. He was really the predecessor of Perry in the opening of the ports of Japan, as the record shows that it was his suggestion which was acted upon by the State and Navy Departments, which resulted finally in Perry's action. Commodore Aulick was father-in-law to Mrs. Secretary Robeson, and leaves a handsome estate.

REPRESENTATIVES' DESKS FOR SALE.

The desks that have been in use in the hall of the House of Representatives since the occupancy of the new hall will be sold at auction next Tuesday, together with the chairs that match them. The advertisement says: "About 380 single and double carved oak desks, and about 300 carved oak leather-covered armchairs." This sale will be one of considerable interest, though of much less than a similar sale in the Senate Chamber, where the same desks are used that were manufactured for the old hall now used by the Supreme Court, when that hall was first occupied, nearly three-quarters of a century ago. Not one of about forty of the desks in the Senate but has a history, and there is not one of them that has not been used by some person whose name is intimately associated with the history of the Republic. Among the desks in the House are many that have similar associations, but they are few in comparison with the whole. They are not so old that distinguished men who have sat at them have had a chance to die, and the interest in them and their value thus been enhanced. Many of the members, however, have an anxiety to secure the desks they have themselves occupied, and not a few of them have left or sent bids. The liveliest competition is expected for the desk that belonged to Thad. Stevens.

PERSONAL.

Postmaster-General Creswell is expected to return here to-morrow from his somewhat extended Southern tour.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

EX-CONGRESSMAN COX AND THE BACK-PAY STEAL.

The following letter has been received here:

NOS. 112 AND 114 BROADWAY, }
NEW-YORK, April 20, 1873. }

Gen. H. E. Spenner, Treasurer of United States:

DEAR SIR: My brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel S. Cox, cleared me with cash from Flint last week, to send you the inclosed check for $4,812. It is the so-called back pay for the last Congress, of which he was a member, from the Sixth District, of this City. Shortly after the adjournment he deposited this sum as a special fund with my bank, to be disposed of in some way otherwise than for his own aggrandizement. He believed that this fund was his to dispose of, or, as he phrased it, he was a "trustee without interest," except that general interest which every citizen has in fair legislation and Federal taxation. He has, by vote and speech upon the bill, when before Congress, expressed his views against this increase of salary, without reflecting on his brother Congressmen. He begs me to say to you that this act of his has only been delayed by a bereavement which has preoccupied his time since the adjournment. He leaves to you the proper mode of conveying the money into the Treasury. If you think it best to cancel no mush of the debt, you can do so. As he never expected to receive this fund, and as it was not part of his contract when he entered upon his duties, and as he cherishes the good will of his proper constituents in Ohio and New-York, he desires to make his remarks against the measure emphatic by this disposition of the money. Very truly yours,

(Signed,) JOHN A. HARDENBERGH.

LIGHT-HOUSE ORDERS.

The Light-house Board has given notice that the light in the old tower at South-west Pass—mouth of the Mississippi—will be extinguished on the 1st of July next, and that a fixed white light of the first order of the system of Fresnel, illuminating the entire horizon, will be exhibited on and after that date, from sunset to sunrise, from a new tower now being erected. The whistle will be sounded in thick and foggy weather, with blasts of five seconds at alternate intervals of five and forty-five seconds. Notice is also given that, for the purpose of making it more readily discernible in the daytime, the light-house tower at Cape Canareral, Fla., will, in the month of June, 1873, be painted in horizontal bands, alternately black and white, there being three white and three black bands, the upper one, or that next to the lantern, being white.

For the purpose of making them more readily distinguishable in the daytime, the following changes will be made in the month of June, 1873, in the light-house towers at Cape Hatteras and Cape Lookout, on the sea-coast of North Carolina:

Cape Hatteras tower will be painted in spiral bands, alternately black and white.

Body's Island tower is now painted in black and white horizontal bands.

Therefore in proceeding from north to south, the successive light-house towers herein mentioned will be observed as follows:

Body's Island, horizontal bands, black and white.

Cape Hatteras, spiral bands, black and white.

Cape Lookout, checkered—checkers black and white.

COCHISE'S MOVEMENTS.

Army Surgeon S. L. Orr, who has been stationed at Apache Pass, Arizona, on the Cochise Indian reservation, during the past year, arrived here yesterday, having left the reservation March 22. He reports that Cochise was then on the reservation, and had not been from it since the date of the treaty of peace with Gen. Howard. Surgeon Orr says the raiding in Sonora, which has been attributed to Cochise, was done by the white Mountain Indians, who, though friendly with Cochise, are not members of his band. Few, if any, of the latter are believed to have taken part in these forays. In further denial of reports that Cochise has violated his pledges, Surgeon Orr states that Cochise some time ago voluntarily moved his residence thirty miles more distant from the Sonora line to a point midway between Camp Graham and Fort Bowie, where he is still more effectually under control and within supervision of our military forces.

GOLD SALES AND BOND PURCHASES.

The Secretary of the Treasury has directed the Assistant-Treasurer at New-York to sell $1,000,000 in gold, on the first, third, and fifth Thursdays, and $1,500,000 on the second and fourth Thursdays, in all $6,000,000, and to buy $500,000 bonds on the first, and $500,000 on the third Wednesday of May, in all $1,000,000. The Secretary has also directed the payment without rebate, on and after Monday, 28th inst., of the interest due on bonds, May 1.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge have jointly made arrangements with the authors of the *Revised Version of the Scriptures* to purchase the copyright of their work, and to print and publish the same, and all the expenses connected with the publication will be borne by the two Universities in equal shares. It had been erroneously stated that the publication of the new version of the Scriptures would be borne by the University of Oxford alone.

The death is announced in Paris of M. Auguste Jal, at the age of seventy-eight. He was formerly keeper of the Archives at the Ministry of Marine, and occupied an analogous post in the City of Paris before the 4th of September. The deceased was a very erudite and laborious author. Among his best known works are his *Dictionnaire Théâtral, Archéologie Navale, Scènes du Gaillard d'Arrière, Glossaire Nautique*, crowned by the Institute, and the *Dictionnaire Antique de Biographie et d'Histoire*.

The *Perseverance* of Milan states that a gentleman named Mangiarotti was stopped by a band of masked robbers, armed with knives and pistols, while he was traveling in his carriage a few days back on the road to Voghera. He had with him a sum of 13,000 francs, and offered 3,000 francs to the brigands to release him, but they made him give up the whole of the money and his watch, and alight from his vehicle, in which they drove off, while he had to return home on foot. The Carbineers afterward started in pursuit of the robbers, but only found the horse and vessels abandone on the road near Castelnuovo-Scrivia.

The art-journals of Paris are speaking of a fresco by Raphaël, which M. Thiers had gone to Auteuil to inspect, and which was discovered about six weeks ago in the neighborhood of Rome under a mound of earth. Its extraction, made with extreme care, succeeded perfectly, and none of the details of this precious specimen of sixteenth century art have been lost. Its transport was effected under special conditions, the object being imbedded in fine plaster and conveyed by short journeys, in order to avoid all shocks or jolts. This large composition, which measures 16 feet by 10 feet, will probably be purchased for the Louvre.

An interesting archæological discovery has just been made by a peasant while plowing in the neighborhood of Arles, (Bouches-du-Rhône,) consisting of an ancient glass cup. It is composed of two portions; one in simple ordinary glass forming the vase, while the second is an ornament in red glass superposed. This latter forms a series of ovals united by knots curiously interlaced. On one of the sides is a Latin inscription which has been deciphered, *Divus Maximianus Augustus*. This object, therefore, belonged to the Emperor Maximianus Hercules, who resided in Gaul for a considerable time. The cup just found has no foot, and those for festivals were almost always made so. A slave, standing behind the guest, passed it to him full and held it, when emptied, without his ever resting on the table.

The *Journal de Rouen* states that the Municipal Council of that city has just purchased, for the price of 12,000 francs, two important specimens of Rouen pottery of the last century. They consist of two globes, one terrestrial, the other celestial, which M. d'Arboval exhibited at Paris, in 1867, in the Champ de Mars, and are well known to amateurs. The first is supported by figures representing the four elements; the second by the four seasons, while different emblems are distributed over the surface of each, such as grammar, geography, music, and painting; the animals which characterize the four parts of the world, namely, the horse, the lion, the elephant, and the crocodile; the four astronomic systems of Ptolemy, Tycho Brahé, Copernicus, and the author of *La Sphère Céleste*, &c.

In reference to the assassination at Viterbo of an agent of the People's Bank at Florence, the *Roman Times* reports that the murder has been discovered in the following manner: "In making a post-mortem examination of the corpse of Ruggia, the doctor observed that one hand was firmly closed. He opened it, not without difficulty, and found it contained some hairs of a red beard. This was a revelation. It became evident that the unfortunate Ruggia, in struggling with his assassins, had seized one of them by the beard, the next step was to discover what individual having access to Ruggia's house wore a red beard. It was then remembered that the servant of Ruggia had a lover, a dyer, named Bergamaschi, whose hair and beard were red. He was arrested, and his house searched. Under a stove nearly 1,000 francs were discovered, and several portions of his clothing were found to be stained with blood."

We have just heard, says *Galignani*, of the death of Malon, aged sixty-two, the famous sleight-of-hand performer who gave representations in the environs of Paris, and whose immense portable theatre attracted such crowds on fête-days. He was better known by the name of Tête-de Bois, and his career was a singular one. After having served as a soldier, he was engaged at the Opera-Comique, where he filled for five years the third bass parts. Being carried off by a woman of some fortune, he left with her for Cairo, where he founded a haberdasher's shop, and then migrated to Rio de Janeiro, where he became accountant in a theatre of the second order. There it was that he acquired his talents as a juggler. Having returned to Paris, he very soon established a reputation and realized an independence. He died of an inflammation of the chest, and leaves about 12,000 francs a year.

The *Unità Nazionale* of Naples gives an account of a grand demonstration in honor of Verdi, which took place after the performance of *Aida* at the San Carlo Theatre. A vast crowd collected on the Piazza San Ferdinando, where a carriage was in waiting for the *maestro*. Immediately on his appearance loud cheers were raised, and a number of young men insisted on unharnessing the horses and drawing the vehicle themselves. This was done in spite of the strenuous resistance of the composer. Two flies of carriages with torches then ranged themselves behind the carriage of Verdi, who was escorted in that way to the Hotel Crocelle, where he lodged. Here a band of music played the famous march of *Aida*. The music was listened to in religious silence, but at the conclusion of the piece loud shouts of "*Fuore al maestro!*" arose. Verdi and to present himself three times on the balcony to acknowledge the acclamations of his admirers. The march was then played a second time, and after a final "Viva!" the crowd separated at about 1½ in the morning. The *Unità* remarks that the demonstration was made by the flower of the aristocracy, and by professors and artists of all kinds.

Allen's Indian Mail says: From a Bengal paper we learn that the streets of Dacca have lately been enlivened by marriage processions of a kind by no means rare in India, however new to the minds of most Englishmen at home. In Indian households dolls play a far more important part than they do in England, for all the perfection to which we have attained in the art of making and clothing them and lodging them in suitable dwellings. Indian dolls are not remarkable for beauty or very close resemblance to human models, but in clothing and bedecking them no expense is spared. They have a room to themselves, and seem to enjoy as much attention as live children and babies do elsewhere. Feasts and garden parties are given in their honor; the death of a doll involves a great show of mourning, and the marriage of one is quite a public event. In the present instance two dolls belonging to the daughters of the wealthiest Hindus in Dacca were duly led out at the head of a solemn procession, to the unfeigned delight of the native bystanders. After the wedding ceremony the parents of the girls who had thus disposed of their wooden puppets laid out a few thousand rupees in feasting all their friends, relatives, and caste-folk, as well as a good many of the neighboring poor. Seeing what mere dolls most Indian brides themselves are in point of age, the difference between the mock and the real ceremony is, perhaps, less strikingly grotesque than if English girls were among the performers.

LOSSES BY FIRE.

Destructive Conflagration in Washington—Pay-Inspector Carpenter and Don Piatt Among the Sufferers.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the basement of the house occupied by Pay-Inspector J. N. Carpenter, in Mechanic-row, on F-street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets. Before the family were aware of the danger, the flames had reached the upper stories, and Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter with difficulty escaped to the street, the latter screaming for her child, which was sleeping in the Mansard story of the building. On hearing the cry, William Digges ran through the adjoining house and along the cornice to the burning dwelling, burst in the window, seized the nearly suffocated child, carried it out on the roof of the next house, and delivered it to a colored man, who restored the child to the distracted mother. This gentleman had his wrist severely cut by the glass or cornice. The interior of the house was almost entirely destroyed. It was the property of A. R. Shepherd, and was insured in one of the District fire insurance companies.

Mr. Carpenter only yesterday returned to the city from the Asiatic squadron, where he had discharged the duties of Fleet Pay-master. He had brought back with him specimens of firearms two or three centuries old, supplies of valuable china-ware, and other objects of use and historic interest, which in part were destroyed by the fire. Mr. Carpenter had no insurance on his property.

The flames spread to the adjoining double Mansard roof of the residence of Col. Don Piatt, on the west, burning it to such an extent that it will have to be entirely removed preliminary to building a new one. That gentleman's library and most of his furniture were saved from the flames, but some of the latter was injured by water from the engines. He had no insurance whatever on his house and its contents.

The flames also extended to the Mansard roofs on the east, damaging more or less eight or ten of them. The most of the furniture in the upper stories was destroyed by fire, and that below considerably injured by water. The loss in the houses is comparatively small, with the exception of those belonging to Mr. Shepherd and Col. Piatt. One of the houses in the row was occupied by Lieut. Wheeler, of the United States Engineer Corps, and where he and his assistants were employed completing the record of the surveys made during the last four years in Arizona, Utah, and Nevada. All the surveying instruments, records, plates, photographs, &c., were saved, the fire not having extended further than to a portion of the roof. Harry Elliott, a young lawyer, while assisting in removing furniture from one of the houses, fell through the opening of a winding stairway to the basement, a distance of about forty-five feet, receiving serious injuries of the spine.

Fire in a Hotel—Narrow Escape of the Guests.

PATERSON, N. J., April 27.—A fire in the St. Charles Hotel, opposite the Erie Depot, about 2 o'clock this morning, completely gutted the first floor, and the whole building was considerably damaged by fire and water. A number of boarders narrowly escaped with their lives, by leaping from the upper windows upon adjoining buildings. One man, who jumped from the third story to the ground, was very badly hurt. Two women were seriously injured, and several firemen were nearly suffocated. The building is owned John Slater, and was leased by Lucas Schmidt. The loss is $3,000 or $4,000, and was not insured.

Destruction of a Tennessee Village.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 27.—The village of Stanton, on the Memphis and Charleston Railroad, was destroyed by fire last night. No particulars of the disaster have been received. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

The Howard Mission on Fire—Narrow Escape of a Number of Children.

At about 9:05 o'clock, last night, the officer on duty in Roosevelt-street discovered smoke issuing from the cellar of the Howard Mission building, No. 32 Roosevelt-street. He at once gave the alarm, and the Fire Department quickly responded. Upon examination by the firemen, it was ascertained that the smoke was caused by the burning of some barrels and straw in the cellar, and that the cellar roof had taken fire. Several streams of water were directed to the burning portion of the building, and in about fifteen minutes the fire was extinguished. The Howard Mission has a frontage at No. 41 New-Bowery, and extends back to No. 32 Roosevelt-street. The usual evening services had been held at 7½ o'clock, and the building was cleared by 9 o'clock, a few minutes previous to the discovery of the fire. Fortunately only thirteen homeless children were then in the building, but they were in bed on the third floor, directly over the fire. When the teachers heard that the house was on fire they rushed to the back part of the building, where they were met by a huge volume of blinding smoke, which almost suffocated them, but nevertheless they, knowing that the lives of the children were in danger, continued to feel their way up-stairs until the rooms of the children were reached. These rooms were found full of smoke, and the greatest excitement prevailed among the children. Some were in bed, others on the floor, crying and shouting as loud as they could, while the smoke caused them much pain, by entering their eyes and almost blinding them. The teachers took the children in their arms, and speedily descended to the chapel floor. Great praise is due to these teachers, who, probably at the peril of their lives, rescued the little ones intrusted to their charge. The fire caused the greatest excitement in the locality, and when some evil-disposed person started the rumor that some of the children were suffocated the excitement became intense. Subsequently it was ascertained that all were safe, and the excitement subsided. The damage will not amount to more than a few hundred dollars. The origin of the fire is not known, but was probably caused by a lighted cigar falling through the grating, which set some straw on fire, and this communicated with the wood, &c., kept in the cellar. One of the teachers stated that it was her belief that the fire was the work of an incendiary, who had obtained admittance to the cellar during the progress of the services; but there is no evidence to substantiate this theory.

The Orange Incendiary Fires.

During the Winter and early Spring, a number of fires of incendiary origin occurred at Orange, N. J., none of them of great importance, but all combined creating considerable excitement and fear among the residents. About a month ago, Mayor Austin offered $1,000 reward for the arrest and conviction of the perpetrators. The detectives have been engaged in working up the case, and on Saturday evening four young men, named Egan, Coolorne, Gorman, and Cokely, were arrested, and yesterday lodged in the Essex County Jail, to await trial on charges of arson and incendiarism. The evidence against the accused is said to be such as to leave no doubt of their guilt and conviction. The leader of the gang, James Haley, is still at large, and is believed to be in Rochester, N. Y. Yesterday Chief Fell and Officer Conroy, of Orange, having in their possession the necessary papers, started for Rochester, where they hope to be able to secure Haley's arrest.

Fatal Accident.

CITY OF KINGSTON, N. Y., April 27.—Jacob Burhaus, an employe of the Knickerbocker Ice Company, slipped off a pile of ice, at the Washington Point Ice-house, on Friday evening, into the river, and was drowned. Deceased was fifty-five years old, and leaves a wife and two children.

Consecration of a Roman Catholic Bishop.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 27.—Rev. W. H. Gross was to-day consecrated Bishop of Savannah, at the Cathedral, in the presence of an immense congregation. An imposing procession moved from the Archiepiscopal residence to the Cathedral at 11 o'clock. There were present fifty clergy and sixty seminarians, besides numerous altar-boys. The altars were very brilliant. Most Rev. J. R. Bayley, Archbishop of Baltimore, was the consecrator, with Bishop Becker, of Wilmington, as senior assistant, and Bishop Gibbons, of Richmond, junior assistant; Rev. John Foley, as assistant priest; Fathers Vois and Lee as deacons of honor. The deacon of the mass was Father Lyman, and Subdeacon Father Bartlett. Bishops Wood of Philadelphia, Shanahan of Harrisburg, Mullin of Erie, Domenec of Pittsburg, and Williams of Boston, were present. The sermon was preached by Father Wagrich, of the Redemptorist Order. Haydn's Coronation Mass was rendered by eighty choristers.

The ceremonies, which were very imposing, commenced at 11 A. M. and concluded at 3 P. M.

THE INDIANS.

Escaped Modocs Stirring up Other Oregon Savages—Dispatches from Gen. Schofield.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Gen. Schofield telegraphed Gen. Sherman last night, that some of the Modocs had undoubtedly escaped and gone north into the Pitt River Country. He added that there were some threatening evidences of an outbreak among the tribes in Oregon, and in case of a war he would need reinforcements. Gen. Jeff. C. Davis had arrived at San Francisco and had been ordered to push to the front with all possible dispatch.

LOUISIANA.

Installing Parish Officers—Hopes of Avoiding Bloodshed.

BATON ROUGE, April 27.—A detachment of 125 Metropolitan police, armed with Winchester rifles and one piece of artillery, arrived here last evening from New Orleans, and left this morning for Port Vincent, Livingston Parish, for the purpose of installing the appointees of Gov. Kellogg. They were met at Harrell's Ferry, on the Amite River, at noon to-day, by a committee of three persons representing the Port Vincent party, and it is presumed that matters will be adjusted without bloodshed.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, April 28—1 A. M.—The temperature has risen generally in the Mississippi Valley and eastward to the Atlantic; the pressure has diminished with south-easterly winds, threatening weather and rain in Tennessee, Kentucky, and the Lower Ohio Valley, and decline westward in Iowa and Arkansas; south-westerly winds and partly cloudy weather, with diminishing pressure, prevail in the Gulf States; south-westerly winds, generally clear and warm weather, with higher pressure in the South Atlantic States; generally clear weather, light south-westerly winds, and higher temperature on the lower lakes and in the Middle States; westerly and north-westerly winds, clearing and clear weather prevail in Canada and New-England.

PROBABILITIES.

The temperature will further very generally increase east of the Mississippi, and the pressure will diminish; for the north-west and the Mississippi and Lower Missouri, and lower Ohio Valleys, south-easterly and south-westerly winds, threatening and rainy weather; for the Gulf States, southerly winds, partly cloudy weather, higher temperature, and possibly occasional rain; for the South Atlantic States, winds back to south-easterly, increasing cloudiness, and falling barometer; from Michigan and the lower lakes to Kentucky and West Virginia, partly cloudy weather, south-easterly winds, and lower pressure; for the Eastern and Middle States, clearing and clear weather, with south-westerly and south-easterly winds, and higher temperature. Cautionary signals continue at Duluth, Chicago, Milwaukee, Grand Haven, New-Orleans, and Mobile. Reports are missing from the upper lakes and generally west of the Mississippi.

City Meteorological Report.

The following record will show the changes in the temperature during the past twenty-four hours, with the average for the same, as indicated by the thermometer at Dickinson's drug-store, No. 3 Park-Row: 3 A. M. 42°; 6 A. M. 41½°; 9 A. M. 49°; 12 A. M. 53°; 3 P. M. 55°; 6 P. M. 53½°.

HEATING CARS BY STEAM.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Saturday, April 26, 1873.

A new method of heating soon to be adopted by the Delaware and Hudson Canal Company on the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad, will go far toward mitigating the horrors of a possible accident on that line. The heating is done by steam. This is furnished by the dome of the engine, passing therefrom through the pressure regulator. The quantity of steam necessary to afford the heat for the cars is regulated by the latter, which is so arranged as to carry 130 pounds on either side, or that amount on one side and as much less as is wanted on the other. The most ingenious part of this heating arrangement is the coupling of the cars. In case the cars are detached from each other, the steam-pipes uncouple themselves, and valves immediately close over the separated ends, preventing any escape of steam. Immediately upon the cars being united, the coupling is made again as quickly as in the ordinary way. The temperature of each car is regulated at pleasure by means of a branch pipe from the main feed-pipe. Each car is provided with three of what is called steam-traps. One is in the coupling, and one at each end of the car. These let off boiling water until the steam is let on, when they immediately close. In case of the breaking of a pipe anywhere in the train, the valve on the locomotive boiler closes at once, and no escaping steam can injure any passenger in the event of an accident. This contrivance for heating cars is the most ingenious and complete yet invented. It has been given a trial on the Rensselaer and Saratoga branch of the Albany and Susquehanna Road, and is pronounced a success.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

The steam-ship Prussian passed Farther Point, inward bound for Quebec and Montreal, at 9¼ o'clock yesterday

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—APRIL 26.

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—2½ P. M.

$1,000 U. S. 6s, R., '81..117⅛ | 200 U. S. 5-20 C., '67...119⅝
200 U. S. 5-20 C., '65...117⅝ | 2,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65...117⅝
2,000 U. S. 5-20 R., '67...117⅛

SALES FROM 2 TO 3 P. M.

100 West'n Union...68⅜ | 100 Lake Shore.....97⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 1300 do.....97⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 2700 do.....97⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 100 N. J. Cent'l.....80⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 100 N. Y. Prot'n.....82⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 100 Boston Land.....10⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 100 do.....10⅜
100 do.....68⅜ | 200 do.....10⅜
1100 do.....68⅜ | 200 Toledo & Wabash.....70⅜
200 do.....68⅜ | 200 do.....70⅜
1200 do.....68⅜ | 100 do.....70⅜
1100 do.....68⅜ | 100 do.....70⅜
1000 N. Y. C. & Hud...101⅜ | 100 St. Paul.....69
100 Pacific Mail.....32⅜ | 1000 do.....69
200 do.....32⅜ | 1000 do.....69⅛
200 do.....32⅜ | 1000 do.....69⅛
1000 do.....32⅜ | 100 do.....69⅛
500 do.....32⅜ | 1100 do.....69⅛
300 do.....32⅜ | 200 Ohio & Miss.....44⅜
300 do.....32⅜ | 200 do.....44⅜
100 Union Pacific.....31⅜ | 200 Han. & St. Jo.....42⅜
200 do.....31⅜ | 200 do.....42⅜

MONDAY, April 28—A. M.

The weekly averages of the Associated Banks, Local and National, reporting through the Clearing-House for the week ending Saturday last, April 26, compare as follows with the previous week, and also with the corresponding week last year. To which we add the Gold and Currency balances in the New-York Office of the United States Treasury at these dates respectively:

	April 27, '72.	April 19, '73.	April 26, '73.
Capital.....	$71,275,000	$72,275,000	$72,275,000
Legal Unpaid.....	15,857,900	16,447,900	16,447,900
Total.....	$87,132,900	$88,722,900	$88,722,900
Loans.....	$74,030,600	$79,191,200	$80,201,000
Gold and Gold Notes.	16,116,000	12,716,000	12,702,000
Other Legal Tenders.	20,267,400	18,618,000	17,660,000
Deposits.....	$93,170,000	$87,744,000	$84,845,000
Circulation.....	17,894,000	17,907,000	17,727,700
U. S. Deposits.....	$6,241,700	$7,697,000	$4,705,101

	April 19, '73.	April 26, '73.	April 27, '72.
Specie.....	$28,383,000	$25,416,000	$36,386,600
Circulation.....	17,907,000	17,727,700	17,894,000
Deposits.....	87,744,000	84,845,000	93,170,000
Reserve.....	46,290,000	43,141,000	54,280,600
Reserve to Deposits	52⅞ ₱ cent.	50⅞ ₱ cent.	58⅜ ₱ cent.
Legal Tenders.....	$20,267,400	$18,618,000	$17,660,000
Specie Reserve.....	28,383,000	25,416,000	36,386,600
Total Reserve.....	$48,650,400	$44,034,000	$54,046,600
Legal Reserve.....	43,292,500	43,936,300	46,585,250
Surplus Reserve.....	$5,357,900	$97,700	$7,461,350

We subjoin the relative strength of the Bank statement in respect to Lawful Money to Deposits and Circulation:

	April 19, '73.	April 26, '73.	April 27, '72.
Deposits.....	$87,167,300	$84,720,000	$93,170,000
Circulation.....	17,907,000	17,727,700	17,894,000
Total.....	$105,074,300	$102,447,700	$111,064,000
Required ₱ ₱ ct.	$43,792,150	$42,360,000	$46,585,000
Actual Holdings.....	48,650,400	44,034,000	54,046,600
Excess.....	$4,858,250	$1,674,000	$7,461,600
Rate of money....	7 ₱ cent.	7 ₱ cent.	7 ₱ cent.

The Bank return shows only a slight improvement in the lawful Money reserve. The average is still below the line of 25 ₱ cent. to Deposits and Circulation, and some surprise is felt that after the apparently well authenticated reports of large Currency receipts by express, the Greenback average for the whole fortnight has gained only about two million of dollars. Money was in demand through the week, but at easier rates. Prime Merchantable paper, beside being fairly accommodated at Bank at 7 ₱ cent., could be sold on the street at 8@10 per cent. per annum, and the comparatively moderate sums that appear in market would denote caution on the part of leading firms in putting out their credits. Exchange continues depressed, ruling 1½@2 ₱ cent. below the Gold shipping points. The 60 days' rate on London was 108@108¼ ₱ cent. At the same time the speculative in Gold is kept up to the close neighborhood of 117¾ ₱ cent. on the calculation that Exchange will advance later in the season. Meanwhile the low ruling on London, for so many weeks, at a season when the rates usually take out Gold Coin, has led to the gradual accumulation of Gold Coin in the Treasury of the United States to the extent of $12,000,000 or $14,000,000, or from about $64,000,000 to $77,198,000, mainly in exchange for Gold Notes. The Gold Notes Circulation is now $26,368,000, so that about $51,000,000 Gold remains in the ownership of the Treasury. The Gold Notes, however, will, no doubt, run up considerably this week on the May Interest payments. Last week the New-York Office sold $1,500,000 Gold, and paid out $981,000 Interest, and received, on the other hand, $3,410,000 for Customs.

The general trade of the week was not very satisfactory for the Importers or Domestic Commission people. The business in Dry Goods, Domestic as well as Foreign, is comparatively slow for April, while in General Foreign Merchandise the complaints of dullness and losing prices are more general than usual. The Export Trade is doing better, and our tables for New-York, after the adjustment of the official March returns, and adding four weeks in April, show a gain of over $28,000,000 in Domestic Produce alone since July 1, and a further gain of $21,000,000 in Specie chiefly in Silver Bullion, the product of the Pacific coast mines. At the same time, the difference is being narrowed between the gross imports this year and last, but this table, it must be borne in mind, does not reflect the actual consumption of Foreign Goods, which, to the close of March, at New-York, (including Goods withdrawn from Bond,) was $51,000,000 ahead of the previous year, although the original entries since July 1 were then only $19,600,000 ahead, and now only $9,956,000 in excess. The Exports of the week past reached $6,947,000 in Produce, and $773,000 in Silver, &c., from New-York, and $4,600,000 in Cotton direct from the Southern ports.

The Import Entries in New-York, embracing Foreign Dry Goods and General Merchandise, for the past week were $10,340,763, against $9,573,956 for the corresponding week last year. The Exports of Domestic Produce, other than Gold and Silver, were $6,947,860, against $3,244,186 same week in 1872. The export of Gold and Silver, $773,017, against $1,715,619 same week in 1872. The Customs, in Gold, paid into the New-York Office of the United States Treasury for the week were $3,410,618.

The Gold values of the Import Entries of Foreign Merchandise at New-York, exclusive of Foreign Specie, since July 1, 1872, are as follows, the figures being official to April 1, and since semi-official from the Custom-house:

July.....	$20,024,381	February.....	$38,726,564
August.....	21,895,129	March.....	42,875,998
September.....	24,390,320	April 5.....	7,576,073
October.....	30,683,783	April 12.....	6,251,358
November.....	23,650,040	April 19.....	12,346 613
December.....	26,922,308	April 26.....	10,340,763
January.....	37,089,743		
Total since July 1, 1872.....			$220,006,467
Same time previous year.....			340,109,756
Increase since July 1.....			$9,956,720

The Currency value of exports of Domestic Produce and Miscellaneous Goods, including Foreign Goods re-exported from New-York since July, is as follows:

July.....	$20,860,068	February.....	$21,139,002
August.....	19,464,143	March.....	21,982,209
September.....	19,894,796	April 5.....	5,361,289
October.....	22,124,749	April 9.....	5,010,945
November.....	23,625,216	April 16.....	5,421,753
December.....	21,411,220	April 23.....	6,947,860
January.....	20,650,560		
Total since July 1.....			$216,313,822
Same time previous year.....			188,029,949
Increase since July 1.....			$28,283,873
Gold, April 23, 1873.....			117⅛ ₱ cent.
Gold, April 27, 1872.....			112⅜ ₱ cent.

The exports from New-York of Gold and Silver Coin and Bullion since July 1, are as follows:

July.....	$17,348,688	February.....	3,870,444
August.....	3,586,148	March.....	3,570,432
September.....	1,746,457	April 5.....	1,346,157
October.....	4,729,143	April 12.....	911,214
November.....	4,884,926	April 19.....	842,603
December.....	3,983,879	April 26.....	773,017
January.....	7,127,562		
Total since July 1, 1872.....			$62,967,129
Same time last year.....			31,540,253
Increase since July 1.....			$31,446,879

The following are the Customs receipts in Gold, and the interest payments in Gold, at the New-York office of the United States Treasury, from July 1, 1872:

	Customs.		Gold Interest.
July.....	$7,683,315	July.....	$16,921,498
August.....	19,900,758	August.....	3,070,098
September.....	12,891,283	September.....	3,732,328
October.....	11,314,166	October.....	4,518,389
November.....	7,74[illegible],011	November.....	4,967,565
December.....	6,881,179	December.....	4,959,206
January.....	7,127,562	January.....	7,127,562
February.....	12,126,447	February.....	1,450,000
March.....	12,897,280	March.....	1,818,104
April 5.....	1,576,073	April 5.....	134,462
April 12.....	6,251,358	April 12.....	223,776
April 19.....	12,346 613	April 19.....	861,231
April 26.....	10,340,763	April 26.....	981,231
Total, 1872-3.....	$143,033,830	Total, 1872-3.....	$62,055,276
Total, 1871-2.....	132,154,423	Total, 1871-2.....	60,067,344

COURSE OF THE STOCK EXCHANGE—THIS WEEK.

	April 27, '72.	
American Gold.....	117⅛@117⅜	117⅛
U. S. 6 Sts, '81, May and Nov.....	120⅛@120¼	116⅛
U. S. 5-20s, '67, Jan. and July.....	119⅜@119⅝	115⅝
U. S. New 5 ₱ cents.....	119@119⅜	113⅝
Central Pacific 6 ₱ cents.....	103@103½	103½
Union Pacific 6 ₱ cents.....	98½@97	92⅛
New-York Central.....	102⅛@101⅞	99⅛
Rock Island.....	109⅛@108¾	115
Ohio and Mississippi.....	44⅛@44⅛	39
St. Paul Common.....	69⅛@69¼	61⅛
St. Paul Preferred.....	73¼@73¾	81
Toledo and Wabash.....	69¾@70¼	73¼
Union Pacific.....	32⅛@32⅜	40⅞
Erie.....	69⅜@64⅛@65⅜	69¼
Western Telegraph.....	65¾@64⅛@65¾	70½
Pacific Mail.....	32½@32⅝	73
Lake Shore.....	98¼@97⅛@98⅜	97⅛
Harlem.....	126@124	129

The Public Funds kept pace with the fluctuations (which were not wide) in Gold through the week, although, including the accrued Interest, the Coupon 5-20s are still relatively cheaper than Gold. The Share speculation was not encouraging to any party, and left off dull on Saturday. The decline of the week was general, but not large; the difference against Western Telegraph is 2 ₱ cent., against other Stocks ½ to 1 ₱ cent. The Brokers got Money on Saturday at 7 ₱ cent. Gold Interest.

The last prices for the various Public Funds of the United States are as follows:

6 ₱ cent. reg., '81.....	117⅛	5-20 coup., n. i., '65.....	117⅝
6 ₱ cent. coup., '81.....	117⅝	5-20 reg., '67.....	117⅜
5-20 reg., '65.....	117⅛	5-20 coup., '67.....	117⅝
5-20 coup., '65.....	117⅝	5-20 reg., '68.....	117⅝
5-20 reg., '67.....	117⅜	5-20 coup., '68.....	118
5-20 coup., '67.....	117⅝	10-40 reg.....	113⅛
5-20 reg., '68.....	118	10-40 coup.....	114
5-20 coup., '68.....	118	6s coup., '81.....	116⅛
5-20 reg., n. i., '65.....	117⅛	6s currency.....	114⅞

UNITED STATES TREASURY,
NEW-YORK, April 26, 1873.

Gold receipts.....	$630,186 17
Gold payments.....	2,161,908 27
Gold balance.....	43,388,882 63
Currency receipts.....	563,436 80
Currency payments.....	896,843 39
Currency balance.....	18,444,548 99
Customs.....	948,000

Cancelled Gold Certificates sent to the Treasurer of the United States at Washington, D. C..... 2,041,000 00

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

BANKING HOUSE OF FISK & HATCH,
No. 5 NASSAU-ST., NEW-YORK, April 26, 1873.

The present high price of Government Securities is increasing the demand for first-class Railroad Bonds; and as the amounts now offering are comparatively small, it is reasonable to suppose the present difference of from TWENTY to THIRTY per cent cannot be obtained for any great length of time. Government Bonds are higher now than for several years past. A "Five-twenty" Bond at 120, paying six per cent. on the par value, yields but a small income on its market price, and if an entirely safe investment can be obtained with a difference of 200 to 300 dollars on each 1,000, it is largely to the interest of the holders to make the exchange.

We are recommending the following for such Exchanges or for new investments—all of them payable in gold, principal and interest:

The CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO SIX PER CENTS at 88 and accrued interest, interest payable May and November; these bonds are issued in denominations of $100, $500, and $1,000. The road, 430 miles in length, is now completed, and the business offering is very large, and increasing daily.

The WESTERN PACIFIC SIX PER CENTS at the market price, which is to-day 95, flat. These bonds are of $1,000 each; interest payable January and July. This road having been consolidated with the great CENTRAL PACIFIC, and payment of its bonds, principal and interest, assumed by them, we see no good reason why they should not soon approximate in price to Central Pacifics—now 103, and becoming very scarce in the market.

Also, the CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO SEVEN PER CENTS, interest payable January and July, secured by a First Mortgage on the Extension to deep water on Chesapeake Bay, on the proposed Kanawha River Branch, and on the Great Bridge to be built over the Ohio River at Huntington, and a Second Mortgage on the Main Line, with all its equipments, depots, &c.

Only $3,000,000 of these Bonds will be offered for sale at present. Price 90 and accrued interest.

We consider them amply secured, and a very desirable investment. The proceeds will be used in adding largely to the present equipment, and in extending to deep water on the Chesapeake Bay, where the largest steamers in the world can load and unload alongside the cars.

The amount of money to be invested within the next few months will be very large; the Government disbursement alone for the next three months will reach $100,000,000, and the May and July dividends of the banks, railroads, and other corporations as much more.

We continue to deal in Government and Central Pacific Bonds, receive deposits on which we allow interest, make collections, execute orders at the Stock Exchange for cash, and conduct a general banking business.

FISK & HATCH.

INVESTMENT BONDS.

The NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD 7-30 FIRST MORTGAGE GOLD BONDS, which we recommend as a profitable and well-secured investment, bear 7 3-10 per cent. gold interest, and have the following elements of security, viz.:

1. They are the obligation of a strong corporation.

2. They are a first mortgage on the road, its equipments, rights and franchises.

3. They are a first lien on its net earnings.

4. There is pledged, in addition, for the payment of principal and interest, a land grant of 12,800 acres per mile through the States, and 25,600 acres per mile through the Territories traversed. The Company is already entitled to nearly 10,000,000 acres of its grant, and its land sales thus far have realized $5 66 per acre.

With nearly 500 miles of the road completed and in operation, the earnings for 1873 will be large.

All marketable stocks and bonds are received in exchange for Northern Pacifics on most favorable terms.

Jay Cooke & Co.,
No. 20 Wall-st., New-York.

BANKING-HOUSE OF
HENRY CLEWS & CO.,
NO. 32 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

Deposit accounts of mercantile firms and individuals received; all facilities and accommodations granted usual with City banks: in addition thereto four per cent. interest allowed on all daily balances.

Bills of exchange drawn on England, Ireland, Scotland, and the Continent. Travelers' and mercantile credits issued available throughout the world.

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THE COTTON MARKETS.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 26.—Cotton in moderate demand; Middling, 18¼c.; net receipts, 1,869 bales; gross, 2,161 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 5,561 bales; to the Continent, 3,275 bales; coastwise, 803 bales; sales, 800 bales; last evening, 1,000 bales; stock, 157,019 bales.

MOBILE, April 26.—Cotton quiet and unchanged; Middling, 18¼c.; net receipts, 370 bales; gross, 373 bales; exports coastwise, 125 bales; sales, 60 bales; stock, 34,226 bales.

SAVANNAH, April 26.—Cotton quiet; Middling, 18¼c.; net receipts, 773 bales; exports to the Continent, 2,002 bales; sales, 652 bales; stock, 32,804 bales.

MEMPHIS, April 26.—Cotton firmer; Low Middling, 17¾c.; receipts, 691 bales; shipments, 671 bales; stock, 35,415 bales.

AUGUSTA, April 26.—Cotton quiet and steady Middling, 17¾c.; receipts, 127 bales; sales, 118 bales.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, April 26, 1873.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkls.....	71	Leather, sides.....	9,809
Beeswax, pkls.....	9	Lead, bbls.....	910
Broom-corn, bales..	45	Tar, bbls.....	643
Cotton, bales.....	1,792	Oil, bbls.....	5
Dried Fruit, pkls....	1,417	Oil, red, bbls.....	180
Eggs, bbls.....	4,257	Oil-cake, pkls.....	260
Flour, bbls.....	13,384	Pork, pkls.....	435
Meal, bbls.....	100	Beef, pkls.....	349
Meal, bags.....	1,000	Lard, kegs.....	1,580
Wheat, bushels.....	38,200	Butter, pkls.....	1,267
Corn, bushels.....	12,000	Cheese, pkls.....	253
Oats, bushels.....	12,028	Tallow, pkls.....	94
Barley, bushels.....	2,000	Rice, pkls.....	154
Seed, bags.....	200	Starch, pkls.....	720
Beans, bbls.....	20	Tobacco, hhds.....	308
Hemp, bales.....	22	Tobacco, pkls.....	18
Hides, No.....	693	Wool, bales.....	197
Hides, bdls.....	1,026	Whisky, bbls.....	708

ASHES—Pots have been selling, in lots, as wanted, at 6¾ ₱ 100 lbs. Pearls altogether nominal.

COFFEE—A further partial advance of 4c. ₱ lb. has been noted in the mustangs of Rio, which has been in active request, with sales reported here of 5,000 bags, by the Alice Brewster, (a resale,) at 17¼c., and 2,000 bags, by the Contest, (a resale,) at 18 4-4c.; at Baltimore, 2,000 bags, by the Aquidneck, on private terms; and at New-Orleans, 2,200 bags, by the Peguin at 17¼c. @17 5-8c., and 1,000 bags, by the Knox, at 17¼c.@18⅛c., gold, ₱ lb., closing buoyantly. Other kinds firm and in demand. We now quote invoices thus: Rio, ordinary, 17c.@17¼c.; fair, 17¾c.@18c.; good, 18¼c.@18½c.; prime, 18c.@18¼c., gold, ₱ lb., 60 and 90 days' credit; Java, in bond, 27½c.@28c., gold; Java, 31¼c.@31½c., Maracaibo, 18c.@18c., Laguayra, 18c.@19c., San Domingo, 19¼c.@19¾c., gold.

COTTON—Mess quoted steady for early delivery, on a moderate business. Sales, 1,721 bales, including 645 bales to shippers, 316 bales to spinners, 16 bales to speculators, and 660 bales in transit. For prime, delivery a moderate movement has been reported at an advance of 1-16c.@⅛c. ₱ lb. Sales have been officially reported since our last of 18,200 bales, of which 5,450 bales last evening and 11,500 bales to-day; basis Low Middling, with May contracts closing at 18⅜c., June at 19⅛c., July at 19 5-16c.@19⅜c., August 19 7-16c., August 19¼c.; with 100 bales October options sold at 17⅛c. The receipts at this port to-day were 1,773 bales, including 640 bales from Galveston, 301 bales from Charleston, 801 bales from Savannah, 28 bales from Mobile, 181 bales from Texas, and 22 bales from Florida; all the shipping ports to-day were 5,388 bales. The week's exports hence have been 13,743 bales; also, 418 bales Sea Island.

Closing Prices of Cotton in New-York.

	Uplands.	Alabama.	N. O.	Texas.
Ordinary.....	15	15	15	15
Good Ordinary.....	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Strict Good Ordinary..	17¾	17¾	18	18
Low Middling.....	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Middling.....	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Good Middling.....	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼

DRUGS, DYES, AND DYE-WOODS—Comparatively quiet, with values quoted somewhat irregular.

FERTILIZERS—The principal kinds have met with a fair sale, with prices quoted generally firm.

FISH—A moderate movement has been noted in the leading kinds of stock, on a steady basis of values. We quote: Dry Cod at $5 50@$6 75 ₱ cwt.; No. 1 Mackerel at $17@$18; No. 2 at $14@$16; No. 3 at $12@$13 ₱ bbl.; Pickled Herring at $5 50@$6, chiefly at $5@$6; Smoked Herring at 14c. for Scale, and 19c. for No. 1 ₱ box.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour have been in quite moderate demand, since our last, mainly in a jobbing way, at generally unchanged prices. Choice Superfine brands exceptionally scarce, and quoted a shade dearer. Sales have been reported since our last of 8,400 bbls., all told, including very inferior to choice Superfine State and Western at $5 90@$6 35, chiefly at $6 05@$6 25; inferior to good extra State, $7@$7 50, chiefly at $7 20@$7 45; good to very fancy do., $7 50@$8 25; poor to very good shipping Extra Western at $6 90@$7 45, chiefly at $7 10@$7 30 for grocery delivery, and shipping brands; round-hoop Ohio, $7@$7 50 ₱ bbl., and trade and family Extras at proportionate rates. Some contracts for shipping Extras, May option, were reported, but, without reliable purchasers.... Southern Flour steady but quiet; 700 bbls. sold.... Of Rye Flour 200 bbls., and of Corn Meal, 150 bbls. changed hands at unaltered figures.

GRAIN—Spring Wheat has been held firmly, especially strictly spring samples, which have been scarce; but the market has shown less activity, with the main call from export buyers, and chiefly for rail stock, the offerings of which were mostly of low grade. Winter Wheat, dull, but stiffly held. Sales have been reported since our last, at 62,400 bushels at $1 03 for fair No. 2 Milwaukee Spring, car lots; $1 36 for do., to arrive; $1 58@$1 60 for ordinary to fair No. 3 Spring; $1 49@$1 55 for rejected and inferior Spring, with some odd lots of Winter within the previous range. For forward delivery there were free bids of $1 60 for No. 2 Milwaukee Spring, June options, but sellers were generally indisposed to negotiate at present, and transactions were confined to 37,000 bushels, June option, at $1 62 ₱ bushel.... Corn further advanced 4c.@5c. a bushel, on a good demand and limited offering of desirable samples. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 85,500 bushels at 86c. @ 88c. for inferior to very choice old Mixed Western, in store, chiefly at 88½c. for prime samples; 70c. for very choice do., nearly pure yellow, (about 3,000;) 70c.@71c. for new yellow Western; 72c.@73c. for White Southern.... Rye rather more sought after, but the bids were not satisfactory, and trade was slow; 2 boat-loads of Canada, to arrive, were reported sold, without particulars.... Barley quiet; small sales of Western, from cars, within the previous range.... Barley-malt dull and nominal at old figures.... Oats have been quite active at a further improvement of 1c.@2c. a bushel on Old, and fully 1c. a bushel on New. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 96,000 bushels at 54c.@56c. for New Mixed Western; 52c.@55c. for New Black do.; 55c.@57½c. for New White do., chiefly at 56c.@56½c. for early delivery; 55c. for New do. do., May option; 55c. for Old Mixed Western, in store, (2,000 bushels,) closing with 55½c. bid, and up to 58c. asked for prime samples. Stock of Old well concentrated and under strong control.... The week's exports hence for European ports include 785 bbls. Flour, 80,423 bushels Wheat, and 233,984 bushels Corn.

HAY AND STRAW—The receipts of Hay have been liberal, but mainly of the poorer qualities; good to prime lots continue to arrive quite sparingly from all sections. The demand has been moderate at the ruling figures. Straw has been offered freely at current rates, yet has been without notable activity. First quality Baled Hay quoted at wagon and depot at $1 30@$1 40; second quality bale Hay at $1 15@$1 25; Clover at 75c.@90c.; shipping, prime, at 95c.; Shipping, second prime, at 85c.; Rye Straw at $1 05@$1 10; Rye straw, short, at 85c.@90c.; Oat Straw at 60c. ₱ 100 lbs.

HEMP—Jute Butts were purchased to the extent of 800 bales, to arrive, at 2c., currency, ₱ lb.; market otherwise dull.

HIDES—There has been a moderate inquiry noted for low grade foreign, and for most kinds of domestic stock, at rather easier prices; other descriptions dull. The week's receipts have been 48,365 Hides; sales, 39,500 Hides, the latter including, according to Messrs. Hull & Co.: 2,000 Dry Buenos Ayres, 22 lbs., on private terms; 3,100 Dry Entre Rios, 21 lbs., cost to tan on importer's account; 6,000 Dry Rio Grande, 20 lbs., on private terms; 7,600 Dry Central American, 17 to 20 lbs., at 21c.@21½c.; 5,500 Dry Matamoras, (part to arrive,) 23 to 25 lbs., at 20c.@21½c.; 1,200 Dry Vera Cruz, 20 to 21 lbs., at 20c., gold; 1,300 Dry Campeachy and Tobasco, 17 to 19 lbs.; 1,300 Dry Bogota, 20 to 22 lbs.; 3,000 Californias, (part to arrive,) 24 lbs.; 48,500 Dry Texas and Mexican, (part for export,) 22 to 25 lbs.; 12,000 Dry Texas and Mexican Kips, 8 to 10 lbs.; 600 Dry-salted Matamoras, 30 lbs.; 1,100 Wet-salted Texas, 50 to 60 lbs.; 4,000 Wet-salted New-Orleans and Texas Kips, 20 to 23 lbs.; 5,300 Wet-salted City and Country Slaughter, 50 to 80 lbs., on private terms; The stock on hand is 196,700 Hides and 1,219 bales, (same time last year 96,900 Hides and 140 bales,) as follows: 90,700 Dry Buenos Ayres, &c.; 44,500 Dry Montevideo, &c.; 15,760 Dry Rio Grande; 2,000 Dry Central American; 3,000 Dry Tampico; 2,500 Dry Vera Cruz, &c.; 4,500 Dry Bogota; 3,900 Dry and Salted Mexican; 30,000 Dry and Salted Texas and Southern; 295 bales Calcutta Buffalo; 924 bales Calcutta Cow.

MOLASSES—Dull to-day; prices unchanged.

NAILS—A rather more satisfactory business has been reported since our last, on the basis of previous quotations, with holders evincing more confidence as to values.

NAVAL STORES—Resin quoted steady but quiet. Sales, 150 bbls. good Strained at $2 85, and 1,000 bbls. low No. 2 at $3 40 ₱ 280 lbs.... Spirits Turpentine dull at 54c.... Tar as before.

OIL-CAKE—The demand has been moderate, with holders quite confident in their views. The week's exports have been 1,094 pks. City quoted at $27 50@$28, gold; Western, $41@$41 25, currency.

PETROLEUM—Crude, in bulk, quoted up to 10¼c. on sales of 500 bbls. for early delivery.... Refined firmer and in fair demand; quoted, for early delivery, at 20¾c.@21c. here, and 19¾c.@20c. at Philadelphia. Sales here, 2,000 bbls., May options, at 20¾c.@21c.

PROVISIONS—Mess Pork has been quoted decidedly lower, under more urgent offerings, with a restricted inquiry noted, especially for forward delivery. Other kinds quiet and irregular. New Western Mess quoted nominal for early delivery at $18 50@$19; 120 bbls. Clear sold at $20 75. And for forward delivery, sales have been reported of 750 bbls. Western Mess, June option, at $18 50, with July options quoted at $18 85, and May at $18 50 asked.... City Dressed Hogs in request and generally quoted at 8c.; Western nominal.... Cut Meats lower and not active; sales, 150 boxes Dry-salted Shoulders at 7c.; 1,200 Pickled Shoulders, on private terms, at 7¾c., and sundry other lots of bulk Meats at irregular figures.... Bacon has been quiet at essentially unaltered figures; sales, 500 boxes Short Clear, May option, at 10¼c.; 14 boxes Cumberland, from dock, at 8¼c.... Lard, though less active, has shown rather more steadiness as to values, on lighter offering; with sales reported for early delivery of 240 tcs. Western Steam, in lots, at 9¼c.@9¾c.; and 50 tcs. very choice City and Kettle at 9¾c. And for forward delivery, 2,750 tcs. Western Steam, May options, at 9¼c.; 3,000 tcs. do., June, at 9¼c.@9 13-16c.; and 500 tcs. do., July, at 10 1-16c., ₱ lb.... Beef products steady, but comparatively slow of sale, since our last.... Butter, Cheese, and Eggs quoted about as before, on restricted dealings.... The week's export clearances hence for European ports include 2,507 bbls. Pork, 19,328 boxes Bacon, 1,504 tcs. Lard, 2,821 tcs. and bbls. Beef, and 10,469 boxes Cheese.

SKINS—Deer have attracted rather less attention, yet quoted without further material change as to values; sales 22,000 lbs. Porto Cabello, 18,000 lbs. Central American, 16,000 lbs. Maracaibo, 8,100 lbs. Para, and 8,000 lbs. Texas and Southern. Receipts—59 bales from Aspinwall; 58 bales Vera Cruz, &c.; 33 bales Para, 12 bales Curacoa, and 27 bales Texas, &c.... Goat have been fairly active at full previous prices; sales of 900 bales Mexican, 160 bales Calcutta, 50 bales Curacoa, 50 bales Payta, 30 bales Porto Cabello, &c. Receipts—101 bales Calcutta, 206 bales Curacoa, 79 bales Aspinwall, 45 bales Maracaibo, via New Orleans; 34 bales Vera Cruz, and 25 bales Texas, &c.

SOAP—Has been quoted steady, with a fair jobbing inquiry noted, mostly for domestic makes. Castile quoted at 9¼c.@9¾c.; Colgate's Pale, 7¼c.; Family, 8¼c., and No. 1 at 6¼c. ₱ lb.

SUGARS—A fair demand prevails for Raw, with prices on the better grades of refining stock favoring holders. Sales, 450 hhds. and 1,816 boxes, including 790 hhds. Centrifugal at 8¼c.@8¾c.; 1,726 boxes do. at 9c.@9¼c.; 130 hhds. Molasses Sugar at 7¼c.; and 50 boxes do. at 8¼c., ₱ lb. Refined, as before.

TALLOW, &c.—In the movement has been noted in Tallow at full prices. Sales, 118,000 lbs. at 9¼c.@9 1-16c., ₱ lb. Of Grease, equal to 470 pks. sold at 6¼c. @7c. ₱ lb.... The week's exports of Tallow have been 1,557 hhds.

WHISKY—Firmer and more active; sales, 425 bbls., in lots, at 90¼c.@91c., closing at 91c. ₱ gallon.

WOOL—Holders have been generally quite free in their offerings of stock during the week, and buyers have had the advantage as to values, especially in all negotiations on a cash basis. There has been more animation noted in the leading kinds of stock, as the result, in part, of the more accommodating views of sellers, as to rates, terms, &c. The inquiry from manufacturers has been brisker, while more call has been reported from trade sources. The dealings have been largely in the lower grades, on which holders have been most disposed to make prices to suit purchasers, with a view to prompt realizations on supplies. The reported transactions comprised about 300,000 lbs. Domestic Fleece, in sundry lots, at from 43c.@53c., chiefly at 48c.@49½c.; 15,000 lbs. Unwashed at 27c.@30c.; 23,000 lbs. Tub-washed on private terms, equal to about 155,000 lbs. Domestic Pulled within the range of 30c.@49c. for No. 1 to Extra; 7,000 lbs. Combing at 46c.@49c.; 4,000 lbs. Scoured at 54c.@72c.; 21,000 lbs. and 2 bales California Spring Clip in sundry lots, part scoured, at from 35c.@51c.; 140,000 lbs. California Fall, part at 30c.@32c.; 100,000 lbs. do. Pulled on private terms; 104,000 lbs. Texas, chiefly at from 16c.@31c., the latter rate for Extra Fine; 300,000 lbs. Oregon, 15,000 lbs. Colorado, and 200,000 lbs. Mestizo on private terms; 25,000 lbs. Mexican, mostly at 13½c.@16c.; 465 bales Cape, in lots, part at 30c.@34c.; 100 bales Montevideo at 31c., and small lots of other Foreign at irregular figures.... From Boston, the advices are of a moderately active market, with but little clearness as to prices, although some sales were made at a lower figures. Included in the sales of domestic were: Texas, 42½c.@44c., and pulled at 34½c.@36c. The *Commercial Bulletin*, of Boston, says: "At present the prices of Wool are as low or lower than at any previous time for four years. There seems to be very little firmness in the market, and holders are selling at about buyers' prices. There is a little improvement in the demand, and manufacturers will hardly shave up in a small way stock to supply their mills. The stocks of fleece Wool are light, and any marked increase in the demand would be likely to enhance the price. There seems to be a desire on the part of dealers and manufacturers that prices shall be kept about where they are until the new clip comes off, believing that such a course will result to the advantage of the trade. Of course Wool-growers will hardly share this feeling, and it will not be surprising if there is a considerable contrast between buyers and sellers between now and the first of June.

FREIGHTS—A slow movement has been noted in most lines since our last, although any important change is to be looked for in Petroleum, Cotton, and general cargo were in most request in the local market.... For Liverpool, the reported engagements have been, by sail, 150 bales Cotton, at 5-16d. ₱ lb.; Shooks at 5s. ₱ M.; 250 bbls. Tobacco, at 40s.; 300 tons Tallow, at 37s. 6d.; and by steam, 1,000 bushels Grain, at 6d. @7d. ₱ bushel; 1,200 pks. Oil-cake, 100 bbls. Apples, and 80 bales Leather on private terms; 200 barrels Sugar, at 40s. 6d., and 1,000 bbls. Cheese, at 50s. ₱ ton; also a British ship, 1,179 tons, placed on the berth for general cargo; an American bark, 717 tons, with Cotton, from Mobile, at 11-16d. ₱ lb.; and a British bark, 718 tons, with equal to about 5,000 bbls. Petroleum and Naphtha, at a round sum.... For Glasgow, by steam, 80 tons Oil-cake at 35s.... For Bristol, by steam, 1,000 bushels Wheat, in bags, at 6½d. ₱ bushel.... For the Continent a British bark, 997 tons, with about 6,000 bbls. Petroleum, from Philadelphia, at 5s. ₱ bbl.... For Bremen, by steam, 3,400 bushels Rye, 800 pcs. Lard, 100 bbls. Apples, and 1,400 pcs. Merchandise as steady terms; and a British bark, 700 tons, hence, with Petroleum, private terms.... For Marseilles, an American bark, 494 tons, hence, with Kentucky Tobacco at 42s. 6

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CHAMBER-MAID.—BY A SCOTCH GIRL as chamber-maid and waitress; excellent City reference. Call at No. 109 East 41st-st., between Park and Madison avs.

CHAMBER-MAID.—BY A RESPECTABLE young girl as chamber-maid and waitress, and will assist with the washing. City reference. Apply at No. 228 West 16th-st., between 8th and 9th avs.

CHAMBER-MAID, &c.—BY A YOUNG girl as chamber-maid and waitress in a private family; best of City references. Call for two days at No. 219 West 27th-st., fourth floor, back room.

CHAMBER-MAID.—BY A RESPECTABLE young woman as chamber-maid and waitress, or as chamber-maid and assist with fine washing; can do plain sewing; good City reference. Can be seen at No. 139 West 14th-st., over drug-store.

COOK, WASHER, AND IRONER.—By two very respectable young people, sisters, (Protestants); one is an excellent family cook, good washer and ironer; the other is expert as chamber-maid and excellent waitress; both will do the work of a family between them, in City or country; will give best City recommendations from former employers. Can be seen at No. 138 West 11th-st., corner of 6th-av.

COOK.—CAN DO ANYTHING IN THE WAY of elaborate cooking that any man cook can do, gardening and ornamenting, recherche entrees, bridal breakfast dinners, and suppers, club dinners, &c.; low, by week, or month; references by the month $30, and kitchen maid. Aubrey has her, No. 37 6th-av., up-stairs.

COOK, WASHER, AND IRONER.—BY a competent young woman, in a private family; understands cooking in all its various branches; is willing and obliging; has good references; prefers a good home to large wages. Can be seen at No. 138 6th-av., over drug-store.

COOK.—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN AS first-class cook; can bone and lard, and do all kinds of cooking required; has good steady reference; wages $20; no objection to the country. Inquire for Mrs. Fanny Smith, at No. 227 West 31st-st., second bell, between 7th and 8th avs.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

CHAMBER-MAID.—BY A THOROUGHLY competent young woman as chamber-maid in a Summer restaurant or watering-place boarding-house in the country preferred; has excellent references from last employers in every respect; will assist with washing if required. Can be seen at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

CHAMBER-MAID AND WAITRESS.—By a young girl as chamber-maid only in a private family; thoroughly understands her business; City or country. Best City references. Apply at Odell's Agency, 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

CHAMBER-MAID AND WAITRESS.—By a respectable girl, in a private family; has no objection to the country for the Summer; excellent City reference. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

CHAMBER-MAID AND WAITRESS.—By a Protestant young woman, who has the very best of City reference; is now living in the country; will go in the country with a family. Inquire for L. G., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

CHAMBER-MAID AND WAITRESS.—A Swedish Protestant young woman, who is a good chamber-maid and waitress; unexceptionable City reference; is willing to make herself useful. Inquire for M. A., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

CHAMBER-MAID AND WAITRESS.—A young woman, with the best of City reference; neat and active about her work; willing to make her self useful; can do plain sewing nicely; will go in the country with a family. Inquire for E. D., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

CHAMBER-MAID AND NURSE.—A middle-aged Protestant woman as chamber-maid and nurse; no objection to the country; good reference; a good steady home more desired than high wages. Inquire for M. W., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK.—A WOMAN OF THIRTY-FIVE, capable of doing good family cooking, such as deserts, bread and biscuit, soups, game in season, &c.; has the best of City reference for ability, sobriety, and honesty; will assist in the washing. We have known this woman for four years. Inquire for M. O., at Odell's Agency, 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK AND ASSIST IN THE WASHING.—By a competent woman, who has three years' City reference from last employer; can do all kinds of good cooking; makes excellent bread and biscuit; no objection to the country. Inquire for M. C., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK AND ASSIST IN THE WASHING AND ironing for a private family; no objection to the country; makes all kinds of desserts, jellies, cake, soups, bread, and biscuit, &c.; has unexceptionable City reference from parties who can be seen. Inquire for M. B., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK.—AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT WOman, who is a first-class cook; makes all kinds of desserts, jellies, cake, ices, soups, bones and lards, &c.; wages, $20; this woman has been highly recommended to us. Inquire for H. F., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK.—A YOUNG WOMAN, WHO CAN DO all kinds of French and English cooking; meats and game of all kinds; soups, jellies, ices, brown gravies, bones and lards, &c.; wages, $25; inception-able City reference from parties who can be seen; no objection to the country. Inquire for B. McG., at Odell's Agency, 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK.—BY AN EXPERIENCED FAMILY cook; understands French, American, and English cookery in all its branches; expert at desserts, creams, ices, and fancy side-dishes; either private or public; City or country; unexceptionable references. Call or address Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK, WASHER, AND IRONER.—By a young woman, who is a good laundress and good plain family cook; makes good bread and biscuit; has City references from parties who can be seen. Inquire for M. C., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK, WASHER, AND IRONER, OR General House-work.—By a very respectable girl as cook, washer, and ironer, or will do general house-work; unexceptionable City references. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK, WASHER, AND IRONER.—AS cook, washer, and ironer; is a good cook and excellent washer and ironer; best references; City or country. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COOK AND TO ASSIST WITH WASHING and Ironing.—By a very respectable woman in a private family; is a good cook and has good City reference; City or country. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

HOUSE-WORK — OR COOK, WASHER, and ironer.—A respectable girl, lately landed, wants a situation to do general house-work in a small private family, or as cook, washer, and ironer; City or country. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

HOUSE-WORK.—BY A YOUNG GIRL, OR will do cooking, washing, and ironing in a small private family; no objection to a short distance in the country; excellent City references. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

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HOUSE-WORK.—BY A YOUNG GIRL, lately landed, in a small private family to do general house-work. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

HOUSE-WORK.—BY A NEAT, TIDY young girl, not long in this City, to do house-work for a small family; is willing and obliging, and will make herself generally useful; City or country. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

LAUNDRESS.—BY AN EXPERIENCED Laundress; is thoroughly competent to take charge of the linen-room of a hotel or large boarding-house, having been formerly engaged in that capacity; City or country; excellent references. Can be seen at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS in a private family; can do all kinds of French fluting, puffing, and do up ladies' dresses in the neatest manner; best reference. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A YOUNG GIRL, WHO thoroughly understands her business, in a private family; is willing to boarding-house; no objection to the country; good City reference. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A SWEDISH PROTESTant woman, who is a superior laundress; does up all kinds of fineries, laces, French fluting, puffing, and polishing; has first-class City reference; no objection to the country. Inquire for M. Z., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

LAUNDRESS AND CHAMBER-MAID.—By a Scotch Protestant woman, who is a beautiful laundress and good chamber-maid; has good City reference that will bear investigation. Inquire for D. G., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

NURSE—FOR AN INFANT OR GROWING children.—By an American Protestant woman well qualified as nurse and fond of children; no objection to the country; has the best of City reference that will bear investigation. Inquire for E. B., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

NURSE AND SEAMSTRESS.—BY A Protestant young woman who is extremely fond of children, of vivacious disposition and pleasing manners, as nurse; no objection to travel; has unexceptionable City reference; is a good seamstress; can operate on all machines. Inquire for F. K., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE young woman as waitress in a Summer hotel; been employed in the same capacity for several years past, and can give excellent references from her former employers. Can be seen at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—A COMPETENT WAITRESS for a private family; no objection to the country for the Summer; can furnish first-class City reference from parties who can be seen; understands the care of silver and glass, dressing salads, &c. Inquire for S. C., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—A SUPERIOR WAITRESS, capable of taking the place of a waiterman; has City reference for ability and character from some of the first families, who can be seen; no objection to the country for the Summer. Inquire for W., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—BY A YOUNG GIRL AS waitress in a private family, or private boarding-house; thoroughly understands her duties, such as taking care of silver, &c.; best City reference. Apply at Odell's Agency, 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL as waitress, or as chamber-maid and waitress; has no objection to going a short distance in the country; excellent City references. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS, OR CHAMBER-MAID and waitress.—By a young girl who is very efficient in her duties; understands the care and cleaning of silver, salads, &c.; would go to the country for the Summer months; unexceptionable references. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—BY A NEAT, TIDY YOUNG girl, as waitress in a private family; would assist with waiting on the care of children, and make herself otherwise useful; has good references from her former employer, who can be seen. Call or address Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WAITRESS.—BY A YOUNG GIRL AS waitress in a private family; City or country; best City references. Apply at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

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FEMALES.

LADY'S MAID.—FRENCH AND EVERY way desirable in character, appearance, age, competency, and references; will accompany a lady to Europe if required. Aubrey's Select Family Office, No. 437 6th-av., between 26th and 27th sts., up-stairs.

LADY'S MAID.—BY A RESPECTABLE Protestant young woman to travel to Europe with a family as lady's maid; does not get seasick. Call at No. 1,023 6th-av., near 57th-st.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE WOman as laundress, laundress and chamber-maid, or first-class chamber-maid; is thoroughly competent to fill either situation; has eight years' City reference from her last place. Apply at A. Pelton & Co.'s, No. 645 6th-av., near 38th-st.

LAUNDRESS.—PROTESTANT, AND every way a first-class servant; understands all a lady's laundress is expected to know how to do; warranted satisfactory; City references to best families. Aubrey's Select Family Office, No. 437 6th-av., above 26th-st., up-stairs.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A FIRST-CLASS WOman and excellent laundress; French fluting, box plaiting, and all kinds ladies' and gents' fine work; very best testimonials; country or City. Call at Bookham's, No. 335 4th-av.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE Protestant woman as first-class laundress; has the best City reference; has no objection to the country. Call at No. 504 16th-st.

LAUNDRESS.—A RESPECTABLE COLored woman wishes ladies' and gentlemen's washing at her own grounds; bulk and vegetables; will be found a sober and obliging man; has the best of reference. Address Gardener, Box 227 Times Office.

LAUNDRESS.—A COMPETENT YOUNG woman solicits ladies' or gentlemen's washing to do at her house; best City reference. Call at No. 224 East 26th-st.

LAUNDRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE woman, as first-class laundress; understands French fluting, doing up fine muslin bosoms, &c.; has good reference. Apply at Bedell's, 340 and 342 4th-av.

LAUNDRESS.—A GOOD WASHER AND Ironer, or would go out by the day to wash or house-clean. Call at No. 342 East 23d-st., Room 11.

LAUNDRY.—OPEN AT NO. 306 WEST 24TH-st.; French fluting; all orders promptly attended to.

NURSE, LADY'S MAID, CHAMBER-MAID, Seamstress, &c.—By a Scotch Protestant young woman, superior and very competent, about thirty, highly recommended, as experienced nurse for young or growing children; excellent chamber-maid, good seamstress, competent to fill either situation; undoubted testimonials. Apply at No. 335 4th-av.

NURSERY GOVERNESS.—BY A YOUNG German, who understands but little English, as nursery governess; is well educated; can handle music and French; from association would prefer the region of Tarrytown or Irvington. Address Emma, Box 1,203 Post-office.

NURSE.—BY A COMPETENT WOMAN WHO is thoroughly experienced in the care of young children; fully capable of taking entire charge of an infant, and can give many years' City reference. Call at No. 800 6th-av., between 45th and 46th sts.; ring second bell.

NURSE, OR CHAMBER-MAID AND Nurse, or Plain Seamstress.—By a Scotch Protestant young woman, highly recommended as being very kind, pleasant, and obliging to children and employers, and an experienced nurse; City or country. Call at No. 335 4th-av.

NURSERY-MAID.—AN EDUCATED AND accomplished young Irish girl to look after young children and their wardrobe; neat hand sewer; five and a half years' references; wages $16 or $18. Aubrey's Select Family Office, No. 437 6th-av., between 26th and 27th sts., up-stairs.

NURSE.—A REGULAR BABY'S NURSE; entire charge night and day; references to the best City families for character and competency; country for Summer; wages, $18. Aubrey's Select Family Office, No. 437 6th-av., between 26th and 27th sts., up-stairs.

NURSE.—BY A PERSON OF MUCH EXPErience as nurse and companion to an invalid; one who intends travelling will find the advertiser invaluable. Inquire between 9 and 12, or address No. 879 5th-av.

NURSE.—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG Protestant woman as nurse for grown children; or to do chamber-work and plain sewing; has four years' City reference from last place; no objection to country. Apply at Bedell's, No. 340 4th-av.

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NURSE.—BY A RESPECTABLE GERMAN girl as nurse and to do light work; is willing and obliging. Call at No. 127 Norfolk-st. at M. Hild's.

NURSE.—BY A RESPECTABLE ENGLISH lady as monthly nurse to a physician. Inquire in candy store, No. 756 2d-av.

NURSE.—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN AS nurse; has good references. Call for two days at No. 151 Waverley-place, upper bell.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE young woman as first-class seamstress; understands different kinds of machines, and is willing to assist [illegible] ladies' maid; willing and obliging; no objection to go a short distance in the country. Call for two days at No. 18 West 33d-st., present employer's.

SEAMSTRESS, &c.—THOROUGH DRESSmaker, or light chamber-work and family sewing; a competent and genteel young Irish girl with City references; wages $16. Aubrey's Select Family Office, No. 437 6th-av., between 26th and 27th sts., up-stairs.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A RESPECTABLE Protestant girl as seamstress, and would do a little light chamber-work; no objection to the country. Call for two days at No. 35 East 32d-st.

SEAMSTRESS.—BY A COMPETENT American woman as seamstress and to take care of children. Inquire at 127 Norfolk-st., at M. Hild's.

SEAMSTRESS.—WORK OUT BY THE DAY or week; understands all kinds of family sewing. Call at or address No. 33 East 29th-st.

WAITRESS.—A THOROUGHLY COMPEtent, nice-looking, and good tempered girl, with City reference to last employer, can have $16 per month. Aubrey's Select Family Office, No. 437 6th-av., between 26th and 27th sts., up-stairs.

WAITRESS.—BY A PROTESTANT GIRL as first-class waitress; understands her business perfectly; is capable of filling a man's place; has several years' reference from her last place. Apply at A. Pelton & Co.'s, No. 645 6th-av., near 38th-st.

WAITRESS.—A LADY DESIRES A SITUAtion for an excellent waitress, whom she recommends with confidence. Apply Monday and Tuesday, before 1 o'clock, at No. 20 East 17th-st.

MALES.

THE FREE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE of the Bowery Branch Young Men's Christian Association of the City of New-York, No. 174 Bowery, between Broome and Grand sts., furnishes employers promptly with clerks, copyists, cooks, coachmen, farmers, gardeners, laborers, mechanics, office boys, and all kinds of male help, free of charge to employers or employe. Men forwarded to the country, on receipt of fare. Address personally, or by letter, (with stamp inclosed,) W. B. CHURCHILL, Rev. JOHN DOOLY, General Secretary of the Bowery Branch, Y. M. C. A.

ATTENDANT.—BY A YOUNG MAN OF middle manners and unexceptionable character as attendant or companion to a gentleman; writes a fair hand, and is good at English composition; can give the highest references. Address Q. Z., Box B, Times Office.

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COACHMAN, GROOM, GARDENER, &c.—By a respectable, sober, honest, steady young man; thoroughly understands the care of horses; good, careful driver; or would make himself generally useful; wife, if so, to do the work of a gentleman's place; very best two years' City reference; country or City. Call at No. 335 4th-av.

COACHMAN AND GROOM.—BY A Protestant man, who thoroughly understands City driving, the care and management of horses and carriages; can give the best of City reference for sobriety, honesty, and ability; no objection to a short distance in the country. Inquire for P. S., at Odell's Agency, No. 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

COACHMAN.—BY A COACHMAN OF first-class abilities and long experience at the business; is a sober, industrious, obliging, and trustworthy man; fully understands the treatment of horses; is a careful and steady driver; very highest recommendations from last and former employers. Call or address B. M., care J. B. Brewster & Co., 27th-st. and 5th-av.

COACHMAN.—BY A VERY RESPECTABLE man, aged twenty-eight years, who is competent to drive in City or country; is also a good groom; will keep carriages and harness in best order; good recommendation. Can be seen at No. 136 West 14th-st., corner of 6th-av.

COACHMAN.—BY A SCOTCHMAN, A thorough coachman and an excellent groom; has been trained as a hunting groom and military trainer in riding school; understands the treatment of horses; has the highest testimonials. Address McKenzie, No. 342 East 21st-st.

COACHMAN AND GROOM.—BY A SINgle man of long experience; thoroughly understands his business; safe and careful driver; in City or country; can milk if required; six years' best reference; employer can be seen. Address E. M., Box No. 241 Times Office.

COACHMAN.—BY A COMPETENT, RELIAble man; first-class groom; careful City driver; strictly temperate; six years' unexceptionable references. Call on or address J. Q., No. 49 West 36th-st., private stable.

COACHMAN.—BY A COMPETENT SINGLE man and careful groom; understands his duties thoroughly; City or country; first-class City reference. Call or address Coachman, No. 32 East 23d-st., private stable.

COACHMAN.—BY A RESPECTABLE MAN; thoroughly understands his business; ten years' unexceptionable City reference for honesty, sobriety, and capability; at present employer going to Europe. Address J. H., No. 1,023 6th-av.

COACHMAN.—BY A YOUNG MAN WHO has lived sixteen years in his last place, and travelled all over Europe; very highest testimonials as to capacity, sobriety, &c. Call on or address R. Campbell, No. 87 4th-av., for P. B.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE MAN WHO understands his business thoroughly; satisfactory references will be given. Address C. C., Box No. 244 Times Office.

COACHMAN AND GROOM.—BY A RESpectable Protestant young man; City or country; best City reference. Call or address M. P., No. 40 West 19th-st., for two days.

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MALES.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE YOUNG MAN, as coachman and gardener; country preferred; has the best of country and City reference. Call on or address S. P., Box No. 129 Times Office.

COACHMAN AND GARDENER.—BY a single man; thoroughly understands his business; has first-class reference; is sober and obliging. Call or address F. G., No. 254 West 27th-st.

COACHMAN.—BY A FIRST CLASS COACHman and groom; not afraid of work; just arrived from Wales; is waiting an engagement at Norten's, No. 3 Whitehall-st.

COACHMAN.—BY A COLORED MAN, AS coachman. Call on or address W. H., No. 128 West 31st.-st.

COACHMAN.—BY A SINGLE MAN AS coachman and groom; best of reference. Call or address J. H. D., No. 142 West 39th-st.

COURIER.—BY A YOUNG MAN WHO speaks French, German, and English, to travel to Europe with a private family; has traveled all over Europe; best recommendation. Address Courier, Times Up-town Office, No. 541½ West 23d-st.

GARDENER OR ASSISTANT GARDENER.—By a young man, aged twenty-six years, who can carve greenhouse, bed out plants, prune, care fruit, and do all kinds of kitchen gardening; good recommendations; wages moderate. Can be seen at No. 139 West 11th-st., corner of 6th-av.

GARDENER.—BY A SINGLE MAN; thoroughly understands the care of green-house, grapery, pine, ure-grounds, fruit, and vegetables; will be found a sober and obliging man; has the best of reference. Address Gardener, Box 227 Times Office.

GARDENER.—BY A FIRST-CLASS MARried man; no children; has a thorough knowledge of hot and cold graperies, green-house flowers, fruit, and vegetables in general; unexceptionable reference. Address P. L., Box No. 209 Times Office.

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PORTER.—BY A WELL-EDUCATED PROTestant young man as porter and to work round a store; has been employed in that capacity before, but hopes, by industry and fidelity, to gain the confidence of his employer; good reference as to character and honesty. Address for two days, J. McC., Box No. 221 Times Office.

USEFUL MAN.—BY A USEFUL MAN, who is a good driver, and understands the care of horses, carriages, &c.; can milk, and is a good plain gardener. Apply at No. 57 3d-av., corner 12th-st.

USEFUL MAN.—BY A YOUNG MAN WITH a private gentleman; best of reference; City or country; understands perfectly the care of horses, &c.; obliging and willing to do anything useful; moderate wages. Address E. Smith, No. 142 East 29th-st.

WAITER.—BY A SWEDISH PROTESTANT young man, highly respectable, and recommended as being a first-class waiter; understands the care of silver, setting up salads, &c.; willing to make himself generally useful; very best City testimonials; speaks English well. Call at No. 335 4th-av.

WAITER.—BY AN EXPERIENCED French waiter; is thoroughly efficient in every respect, and has references from former employers which will bear strictest investigation; speaks English perfectly. Address François, Up-town Times Office, No. 541½ West 23d-st.

WAITER.—BY A PROTESTANT MAN, AS waiter in a private family; best City references from last place; no objection to the country; willing to make himself generally useful. Call or address for two days W. B., No. 874 Broadway.

WAITER.—BY A FIRST-CLASS WAITER, Protestant, in a private family, either City or country; from four to ten years' reference from former employers. Address J. M., Box No. 33 Times Up-town Office, No. 541½ West 23d-st.

WAITER.—BY A RESPECTABLE MAN AS first-class waiter in a private family; is thoroughly competent and well recommended. Apply at Bedell's, Nos. 340 and 342 4th-av.

WAITER.—BY A MAN OF FOURTEEN years' experience, in a private family or first-class hotel; highest reference given as to character and ability. Address J. S., Box No. 221 Times Office.

WANTED.—THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRIStian Association of the City of New-York requests merchants, lawyers, and business men who want young men as clerks, salesmen, copyists, porters, &c., to apply to WM. P. LEE, Esq., 23d-st. and 4th-av.

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WANTED—A CAPABLE, HONEST MARried couple, the man for driving, farming, gardening, &c.; the wife for house-work in a very small family; a good place for reliable help. Inquire to-day at No. 20 Nassau-st., Room No. 83, at 2 o'clock.

WANTED—BY A PRIVATE FAMILY IN the City, to go to the country for the Summer, a first-class Protestant Scotch cook, with good City references. The lady can be seen by applying at Mrs. SANDERS' office, No. 49 3d-av.

WANTED—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY, A strong young woman to wait on an invalid lady; must be a neat sewer and go into the country for the Summer. Apply at No. 29 East 4th-st., with City reference, from 9 to 12 o'clock.

WANTED—A GOOD WORKING FARMER, who thoroughly understands his business, married preferred. Apply at No. 33 Park-row, Room No. 16, between 10 and 3. References required.

WANTED.—A PROTESTANT WOMAN, AS competent laundress. Apply for two days before 12 o'clock at No. 49 5th-av.

WANTED—A YOUNG PROTESTANT GIRL to do general house-work in a small American family. Apply, with references, at 127 East 27th-st.

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Bids will be opened at 12 o'clock, M., on Thursday, the 12th day of June, 1873, for stores located at Posts in the following named States and Territories, to wit: Alabama, California, Florida, Georgia, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Nebraska, Nevada, North Carolina, Oregon, South Carolina, Texas, Arizona, Colorado, Dakota, Idaho, Indian, Montana, New-Mexico, Washington, and Wyoming.

For list of stores in detail, location, terms, &c., see catalogues, which can be procured on application at the Ordnance Office, War Department, Washington, D. C., at this Agency, at any of the Arsenals, Forts, or Depots, and Commanding Officers of other posts will furnish, on application, information as to what stores on hand at their respective posts are for sale.

The Department reserves the right to reject all bids which are not deemed satisfactory. Prior to the acceptance of any bid, it will have to be approved by the War Department.

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Proposals will be addressed to the United States Ordnance Agency, New-York, (Post-office Box No. 1,811,) and should be indorsed "Proposals for Purchasing Obsolete and Unserviceable Ordnance and Ordnance Stores," with the names of the Arsenals, Forts, or Depots where stored, and

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK: TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1873.

Announcements This Evening.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—DIVORCE—Mr. Dion Boucicault, Mrs. Charles Wheatleigh, Mr. Charles Fechter, Mr. Charles Wheatleigh, Mrs. Louis James, Miss Clara Morris.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—DAVID GARRICK, Lord Chamberlain, &c.—Mr. E. A. Sothern.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY—Mr. Geo. L. Fox, Mr. G. W. Naval, Miss Fanny Reeves.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—ARSAH NA POUSH—Mr. Dion Boucicault, Miss Bella Pateman.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—MONTE CRISTO—Mr. Charles Fechter, Mr. Charles Wheatleigh, Miss Louis Price.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—ARSAH—Messrs. Mark, Barrymore, Miss Lane.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE AND [illegible]

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.—FROU-FROU—Miss Agnes Ethel.

BRYANT'S OPERA HOUSE.—ETHIOPIAN MINSTRELSY—Bob Hoyer, Seymour, Reed.

ST. JAMES THEATRE.—MACEYOY'S HIBERNICON—[illegible]

NATIONAL ACADEMY OF DESIGN.—EXHIBITION of Paintings and Statuary.

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Notice.

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A call for a conference on the transportation question is to be found in another column. It originates with the Farmers' Organization of Illinois; but it is joined in by many representatives of other States. The conference will be held at the Astor House a week from to-morrow. The Committee of the United States Senate has given notice of its intention to be present in person, if possible. The objects of the meeting are defined in the call, with emphasis and distinctness.

Gen. SCHOFIELD'S announcement that some of the Modocs have undoubtedly escaped into the Pitt River country, and that there are threatening evidences of further Indian outbreaks in Oregon, does not furnish a pleasant prospect for the Pacific slope. So long as the Modocs remained isolated in the lava beds there was little danger that other tribes would be drawn into this unfortunate affair, but if their emissaries are abroad stirring up the Indians generally to hostilities, it is impossible to say what proportions the war will assume. The Government is doubtless doing all it can to bring the murderers of Gen. CANBY to justice and to restore peace, but at this distance it seems that the officers upon the ground have not displayed either the vigor or skill required by the emergency. A new commander will, however, be on the scene in a few days, when we hope for better news. But the new aspect which the dispatch of Gen. SCHOFIELD puts upon affairs affords an opportunity for the exercise of all the energy and tact which Gen. DAVIS is known to possess.

Paris yesterday gave rather a broad hint to M. THIERS as to the feeling of the populace by which he is surrounded. A member of the Assembly for the city was chosen, who received 166,000 votes, and a majority over both his opponents. He is a pronounced Radical. Count DE RIEMSEAT, M. THIERS' own candidate, received but a little more than one vote in ten. Marseilles and Bordeaux also elected Radical members. If M. THIERS did not dream of the Commune last night, his nerves are very steady for his years.

The Crispins of Cincinnati, the other day, kicked a man to death for working for an employer who was "out" with the union. They also refused in any way to have anything to do with the "Manufacturers' Association," which is a combination of employers. They have, however, abandoned this extreme ground, and propose that the organization of the Knights and the manufacturers shall "mutually recognize each other in the transaction of all business that directly affects the interests of both parties." They also propose that committees of each body shall be appointed for conference, who, in cases of difference, shall "mutually select one disinterested person of good repute in the community to act as referee."

Our detectives, who have hitherto been only ornamental, have now an opportunity to be useful. Under the new professional criminals law, it will be their fault entirely if the pickpockets do not at once and utterly cease their operations at theatres, in streetcars, and other places of public assemblage. All of these marauders are perfectly well known to the detectives, who, under the new law, need only [illegible] them to be convicted, and can take the thieves in custody at any time and produce them before a magistrate for punishment as vagrants. This statute affords a long-needed protection against the operations of the most adroit pickpockets in the world, and unless it is studiously enforced the police will be held to a strict account. As Superintendent KELSO has not yet issued any public order on the subject, his attention is called to the existence of this salutary law.

There is genuine comfort in finding the New-Orleans *Picayune* using highly intemperate language concerning our comments on the Colfax massacre, as it is satisfactory evidence we were correct in our view of the matter. The more the Democrats stir this affair the worse it will appear for them. Their gasconade about negro lawlessness and aggressions goes for nothing, so long as they are confronted by the fact that 100 negroes were butchered in an affray in which but one white man lost his life and only two were wounded. Attempts to falsify the details of the event are useless, as this general result cannot be changed, and the Democrats of Louisiana stand convicted of seeking to gain political power by wholesale murder. The Democratic Press might easily find more profitable employment than keeping this butchery fresh in the public mind by futile efforts to justify it. The negroes may be all they say—may have done all they assert—and yet the Democrats who shot them down like wolves must be condemned.

Our readers will find in this morning's issue a transcript of the correspondence on file in the Treasury Department with reference to the case of Messrs. PHELPS, DODGE & Co. In reading the very emphatic letter of Mr. JAYNE, the detective, it is but fair to recall the statement of Hon. NOAH DAVIS, the United States District-Attorney, originally having charge of the case. His words in his letter of April 9 were:

"From this examination I became satisfied that there had been, during the past five years, a considerable number of violations of the Customs Revenue laws by your house, all alike in character, but that those violations had occurred without any actual intent on your part to defraud the revenue. * * * I thought, and I still think, that the idea of defrauding the Government of its lawful duties had never entered your minds."

Civil Service Reform.

Mr. DORMAN B. EATON, of this City, has accepted the place on the Civil Service Advisory Board made vacant by the resignation of Mr. GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS. Mr. EATON has long been known as a firm friend of the principles of civil service reform. He has labored for years, and finally with some success, to incorporate them on the City Government of New-York. He is an active, earnest, and sincere man. The appointment was offered him without solicitation on his part, and is accepted without conditions or compromises of any kind. It must be granted by all, therefore, that Mr. EATON'S installment in this position is, *quoad hoc*, a strong pledge of the President's sincerity in the reform. No other view can be taken of it, unless it is believed that Mr. EATON is a man of putty, which he certainly is not.

This guaranty on the part of the President will be received with general satisfaction. We do not pretend for a moment that the reform of the civil service is now, or for some years is likely to be, a matter concerning which there is a very general or very strong favorable feeling in the public mind. It is probably true, on the contrary, that more persons are opposed to any radical reform than are desirous of it, and that the opposition of the former is much more earnest than the support of the latter. Yet the fact remains that the civil service needs reform and radical reform, and needs it very much, and a great part of our best citizens recognize the fact. There are abuses connected with the service which make it costly, confused, and clumsy, and these are bad enough. But there are others which make it demoralized and an instrument of demoralization, and these are much worse. Chief among these is the distribution of appointments as rewards for political services. This is what causes nearly all the difficulty. It is also what gives rise to much of the degradation of politics, tending to convert it into a tricky trade, and to keep out of it all who are actuated by unselfish motives. It is at this feature of the service that the President has aimed his reform, and it is to the removal of this feature that all adequate reform must be directed.

We believe it to be the duty of every intelligent citizen who desires that the element of patronage shall sooner or later cease to confuse and corrupt our politics, to sustain the President in all he does to that end. We shall ourselves do so with the utmost persistency and earnestness. The task he has avowed is a most difficult one. He has shown a great deal of courage and good sense in dealing with it, and has *done* more to accomplish it than any other President ever even attempted. It is true that he has made some steps which, with our present knowledge of the facts, we can neither approve nor explain. He has made appointments—especially in New-Orleans, and we wish we could say there alone—which we cannot make consist with either the spirit or letter of the rules which he has himself promulgated. Until these are satisfactorily explained, they must remain as an unpleasing source of qualification to the hearty approval, justified by the main body of his acts.

But though in these isolated instances the President may have faltered in his work, shall we therefore believe that he has abandoned it? We cannot see the justice or the necessity of such a conclusion. Every one must see that in the application, which no one denies, of the reform to the great majority of appointments in this City and in the Departments at Washington the President has, in the midst of many difficulties, and against bitter opposition, done a great deal. He is now extending the reform to the customs offices of the South. In the appointment of Mr. EATON he shows that he means to go on as well as, or better than, he has begun. He and his colaborers will still meet the unceasing and desperate opposition of the professional politicians, and the embarrassments arising inevitably from the practical application of a new principle to an old and complex system. They are entitled to patient and appreciative consideration. They need, above all, a sincere and strong public sentiment in favor of the *principle* for which they are working. Patronage cannot be taken out of politics unless the public desires it. It can only be done slowly and painfully at best. The duty of good citizens is to endeavor to create an intelligent public opinion in that direction. The duty of the President and the Commission is to extend the principle of promotions and appointments for merit only, and not for party considerations, as far and as fast as they can. We have no doubt that this is the view which the newly-appointed Commissioner from this City will take.

Will the Senate Pass the Police Justices' Bill?

This is a question which our best citizens are now constantly and anxiously asking. We believe the Senate will do its duty and pass the bill, especially if the strength of the public demand for it is properly manifested. It does not follow that the bill will be lost, even if the Judiciary Committee of the Senate, which now has it in charge, is disposed to delay action upon it. The Senate itself can act. There should have been no such disposition to delay as caused the hearing before that committee to be postponed until Tuesday next, without notice to the friends of the bill. The opponents of the bill are only the Police Justices themselves, their paid counsel, and a lawless band of followers. Messrs. J. WOOD, BOWEN, ROBERTSON, and MURPHY constitute the committee, and we hope their action next Tuesday will convince Police Justices HOGAN and SHANDLEY, and all their friends who have been spending a week at Albany, that their time and talk were lost.

The fact that the Justices have made another assessment for some purpose, and have also retained counsel to argue over again the same matters before the Senate Committee, which were repeated from last year, before the Judiciary Committee of the Assembly, is certainly not altogether encouraging; but until we see evidence to the contrary, we shall not believe that any such influences will put this great reform in peril. The most unjustifiable delays have thrown the fate of this measure upon the last days of the session, and hereafter every delay of final action must be regarded as a connivance at its defeat. If this bill is lost, it will be an abiding disgrace to the Legislature, and nothing short of the most decisive explanations can save those directly concerned in its defeat.

Business in the Legislature.

It is evident the session of the Legislature cannot continue more than two weeks, and in that brief period much important work must be done. So long as the Constitution permits the Legislature to be overwhelmed with local and special bills, it is inevitable that the matters of greatest consequence will be crowded into the last few days of the session, and it is obviously the first duty of the members to first take favorable action upon the constitutional amendments which will cure this and other evils in our governmental structure. Sufficient attention has not been paid by the Legislature to this matter, and if the members expect to be considered enlightened public servants they must not adjourn without deciding upon these amendments. The people of the State are beginning to see very clearly the sources of corruption and inefficiency at Albany, and knowing as they do that both will be greatly lessened, if not entirely removed, by these constitutional changes, they expect their legislators to give them an opportunity to vote upon them at the earliest moment.

There are other important matters yet to be considered at Albany. It is not creditable that the annual struggle over the Supply bill has been postponed to the hurry and confusion of the end of a session, when the harpies who seek through it to feed upon the State have the most favorable opportunity for a full feast. Great efforts will doubtless be made to force through all sorts of extravagant claims by means of this bill, and as it has been left until this late day, it is incumbent upon the members to use extraordinary care in its consideration. Among other matters of general interest which are pending between the two Houses are the Champlain Ship Canal and Usury bills; both should be decided in some way, in order that the policy of the State as to matters so important should not be left in doubt.

Aside from the Police Justices' bill, of which we speak elsewhere, there are no less than seven bills of interest and value to this City awaiting final action. All of these are intended to achieve greatly-needed reforms, and should be passed without further delay. The bill to consolidate the City and County needs no argument to show its necessity, and most of the others are of like character. The bill to lease the site of Washington Market is undoubtedly entitled to favorable consideration by the Senate, as it would secure the City, without cost, a splendid market-building in place of the unsightly sheds which now disgrace it. A stop must be put to the vast expense now incurred for rents of armories, and it can be done in no way except by the City owning the buildings used for this purpose; the bill for this object, which is pending, should be passed, but not until it is so amended that none of the public parks can be taken for sites. We presume the phraseology of the bill in this respect is merely an oversight, and will be readily corrected.

A most important measure is yet to be consummated in the bill providing for the sale of the Tombs and the erection of a new prison. The City has been long enough disgraced by this wretched and unwholesome prison, and the property has become so valuable that its sale should realize enough to provide ample and proper accommodations in another locality. This will certainly be the case if the suggestion is adopted, as can be done under this bill, of remodeling Bellevue Hospital for a prison, and removing the hospital to one of the islands, where it properly belongs. A sanitarian so eminent as Dr. STEPHEN SMITH has advocated this course, and its adoption would result in great benefits to the City. We have heretofore presented in full the reasons for this project, and hope the bill which is necessary in order to take any steps toward providing a new prison will not be allowed to be lost.

Great need exists for the passage of the bill compelling the companies to charge uniform rates for gas furnished consumers. One, at least, of these companies has made a practice of charging fifty cents more per thousand for gas in localities where the pipes of the Mutual Company are not laid, and the bill to which we refer is intended to prevent this outrage. It was passed by the Assembly, but subsequently a resolution was adopted recalling it from the Senate, and it is now on the Speaker's table. The interests of the community require that it shall be sent back to the Senate in order that action may be taken upon it by that body. There is no reason which can justify further trifling with a measure so just and necessary. Before the Legislature adjourns it should also consummate the reform intended to be accomplished by the bill establishing a commission for the investigation of charges against juvenile delinquents. Although we hope to have our Police Courts greatly changed for the better, they will never be tribunals where children should be arraigned. A commission specially created to investigate the cases of children who may be arrested for misdemeanors is a necessity in such a City as this. A bill for this purpose has passed the Senate, and we hope like action will be taken upon it by the Assembly.

These are the more important matters now requiring attention by the Legislature in which the City has a special interest, and the session should not be permitted to close until they are all acted on. All, with one exception, have been favorably treated by one House or the other, and but little time is required for their final adoption. All are required by the necessities of the City, and all should have that prompt and affirmative action which they deserve.

The New Emigrant Board.

The bill reorganizing the State Emigration Board having passed both Houses of the Legislature, as our readers know, is now awaiting the signature of Gov. DIX to become a law. That he will sign it there can be no possible doubt. The bill is in the main acceptable, although, by those most conversant with the subject, objection will doubtless be taken to one of its provisions. The design of its original framers was to exclude from the reorganized board the *ex-officio* members, viz.: The Mayors of New-York and Brooklyn and the Presidents of the German and Irish Emigrant Societies. The Mayors were in effect dropped, but so strong a ground was taken by Senator WEISMANN in favor of retaining the two Presidents that a compromise was finally agreed upon which is likely to prove in the end as unsatisfactory as compromises usually are. The representatives of the societies named are to remain *ex-officio* members of the board, with the power of voting on financial questions, but not on appointments.

This provision will be objected to for two reasons. The denial of a vote on appointments has an ugly flavor of that partisanship we have all along deprecated in our municipal administration. Moreover, there are strong grounds for believing that the Presidents of these two societies would be better out of the board altogether. The German and Irish elements of our population have no real right of representation there more than the English, or the Scandinavian, or the French, and their presence in the Emigrant Commission has been fruitful of bickering and discord. In saying this, we mean no reproach to the many able and upright men who have held these places and discharged their duties with fidelity and zeal. But their very zeal has, in a measure, tended to defeat the true aim and end of the law, since, by the peculiarity of their position and the requirements of their constituency, it has been directed to the welfare of the emigrant less as an emigrant than as an Irishman or a German.

Now, this, we venture to say, is entirely wrong. The emigrant who comes to us from whatever part of the world is an American citizen *in potentiâ*, and should be looked at and treated as such alone. In the earlier and purer days of the commission this was the case. But when Gov. FENTON set the evil precedent, since continued, of balancing these two conflicting interests by appointing a German and an Irish member *ex professo*, in addition to the two Presidents, he planted in the commission a seed of discord and danger which Ring mismanagement soon brought to evil fruit. The present board is half made up of members of these two societies, whose inevitable jealousies have not contributed to advance the true objects of the commission.

We trust that Gov. DIX'S appointments will be such as to remove this objectionable feature. The Presidents, by the terms of the new act, must remain; but it ought to be a fatal disqualification against any other nomination that the person proposed is a member of either of these societies. The fact that each of them is at present run chiefly in the interest of a savings bank which lives on emigration should of itself discredit such membership. There are good men enough able and willing to give their time and attention gratuitously to this noble charity, and to conduct it as it should be, without regard to nationality or creed. But they are not to be found among those who seek the office, and in so doing demonstrate their own unfitness. What is in a measure true of all political preferment is emphatically true of a post like this, that it confers honor and a sufficient sense of its responsibilities only on him to whom it comes unsought.

No doubt these and kindred suggestions have due weight from the Governor in making his selections, and we risk little in prophesying that these will be such as to command the entire confidence and respect of the community. That they should be of this character, that from the reorganized commission should be eliminated every taint of weakness or Ring contamination, is doubly important, since, in all human probability, the board now to be appointed will be more lasting, as we trust it will be more useful, than its predecessor.

The Cost of Car-Stoves.

Why do railway companies persist in heating their cars with stoves? It is not because they prefer to make their passengers suffer from the unregulated heat of coal-stoves, which either raise the temperature of the cars to an almost unendurable point, or refuse to give out heat sufficient to keep them perceptibly warm, but which never furnish a uniform and comfortable temperature. It is not because they take pleasure in burning passengers to death, or in destroying partially wrecked cars. Of course the average railway director does not care whether his passengers are comfortable or not, so long as they pay their fares; still he has no especial object in rendering them uncomfortable or in exposing them to danger, when he makes no profit by so doing. The conclusion is inevitable that the stove is retained in use because it is regarded as the cheapest mode of warming the cars. And yet, so far from being the cheapest, it is really the most costly plan that has yet been suggested.

To heat cars with coal-stoves requires first the outlay of sufficient money to furnish each car with a stove and its necessary appurtenances, and secondly, a supply of at least six months of coal for each stove. Moreover the stove must be frequently replenished with coal, the ashes must be removed, and the car cleaned from the dust and cinders that a coal fire necessarily scatters. The stoves also require frequent repairs, and are soon worn out by careless treatment. The combined cost of the stoves, their fuel, and the labor which they involve, represents a very large item in the cost of operating railways in the Northern States of the Union.

Now, were cars to be heated exclusively by the waste steam from the locomotive the companies would save the cost of fuel altogether, since the steam that would be utilized in warming the cars is now wholly wasted by being exhausted directly into the air. The cost of providing each car with steam-pipes might be, at the outset, rather more than the cost of stoves, but the steam-pipes would neither wear out nor suffer injury by careless handling, so that in the end they would prove much cheaper than stoves. On making up a train the pipes in each car would have to be connected together. This, however, would occupy but a few moments of the brakeman's time, not more than is now spent in connecting the bell-ropes. The labor of making up fires, of keeping them in order, and of removing ashes would be entirely saved. If we leave out of sight the comparative cost of the labor required in the two systems, we have only to set the first cost of the steam-pipes against the cost of stoves that must be frequently renewed, and of coal at $6 and $8 per ton, which must be supplied for at least half the year, to perceive at a glance that the railway companies would materially reduce their annual expenses by adopting the plan of heating their cars with the waste steam of the locomotive.

This argument is, of course, the only one which it is worth while to offer to a railway company. Mr. VANDERBILT, who beats his cars with coal-stoves, knowing that in case of accident the chances are that his passengers will be burned alive, regards that contingency as furnishing no possible reason for abolishing his stoves. Show him, however, that he can save money by heating his cars with steam, and there is a possibility that he may listen to the proposal. The outrage of subjecting the traveling public to the imminent danger of a most horrible death, must, before very long, be recognized by legislatures, and the railway companies be compelled to desist from furnishing their cars with an apparatus apparently expressly designed to kill and torture their passengers. If the companies are wise, they will not wait to be forced to conduct themselves in this matter with ordinary humanity and decency, but will recognize that motives of economy alone require the immediate adoption of a heating apparatus which involves no expense for fuel, and next to none for labor.

MINOR TOPICS.

Perhaps few people really confer greater pleasure on those who come after them than those who bequeath a tough and interesting mystery for posterity to go to work upon. What a debt of gratitude on this score is due to him who had the happy thought of putting that piece of black velvet over a State prisoner's face, and converting him into that perennial puzzle, "The Man with the Iron Mask!" Every now and then there is a little lull among the literary detectives, and some ignoramus declares "the thing is settled." Thus, for a few months after M. MARIUS TOPIN'S book on the above-named mystery, so forcible was the chain of argument adduced by that ingenious writer, that the riddle was by the ordinary reader almost universally admitted to be solved—but not a bit of it. Three months ago—our readers will, we rest assured, be delighted to hear—the mystery broke out in a fresh place, and the world can still enjoy this field of speculation. And now we may congratulate the literary world on what promises to be a very substantial companion to these fascinating enigmas—the Byron mystery. Dr. LUSHINGTON was supposed to be the repository of dread secrets touching the infelicitous matrimony of the poet-lord. The last thing out on the subject in London is that the secret lies in the fact that BYRON had a wife already when he married Miss MILBANKE. This is really such a painfully ordinary and three-volume novelish sort of dénouement, that we cannot think of accepting it, after so much ado, without a great deal of confirmation. But of course it will be confirmed, and we dare say the public at large and Quarter-mails also [illegible] of Maryland pros and cons, with the [illegible] of such an old literary war-horse.

The tax-payers of Hartford, Conn., according to the inaugural message of the Mayor of that city, have a cause of grievance resembling very closely that which some time since caused such an effective movement in Jersey City in favor of the municipal and county taxation of railroad property. The Mayor says that, although there has been an abatement of two mills from the thirteen-mill tax of last year, yet that the reduction has not been nearly so great as it would be if certain privileged property, hitherto untaxed, were to be put upon the footing of property owned by private citizens. By privileged property he means the buildings and lands of railroad companies. The result of the Mayor's message will probably be the introduction of a bill in the Legislature similar to the one which was passed in New-Jersey. It is felt on all sides that railroad corporations have had more privileges than they were ever entitled to, and that to continue these privileges any longer would be injustice to the general tax-payers. The New-Jersey Legislature has set an example in regard to the taxation of railroad property by municipalities which is likely to be very extensively imitated during the next two or three years.

Prince Edward Islanders have decided in a most emphatic manner that they do not wish to hold closer communion with the Dominion of Canada than they have hitherto done. Recently the Ministry that favored confederation was beaten very soundly at the polls; and that, the project, for the present, at least, is to be given up. The Canadian newspapers view this result in a most philosophic manner. "We should be glad," says one of the number, "to see both that island and Newfoundland part of our Dominion; but there is no use in trying force. It must come spontaneously, or not at all. * * * If these provinces choose to east in their lot with us, good and well; and if not, good and well also. Absurd haste and eagerness to secure a result for which circumstances are not yet propitious, only delay the thing desired." Such words as these, coming from persons supposed to be smarting under a sense of defeat, display an amount of common sense which cannot fail of having a favorable effect.

Some one in London has for several years been doing good by stealth on a scale of extraordinary magnitude. The modus operandi has been for an elderly man, presumably not the donor, to enter a bank and ask for the subscription-book of a charitable society. It is presented to him. He writes down P. Q. W., or whatever the initials may be, hands a bank-note for a huge amount across the counter, and takes his departure. An idea is now prevalent that this splendid benefactor is one of the heirs of a Mr. THOUNTON, who died about seven years since, leaving some $15,000,000. A year ago a notice appeared in the *Builder* newspaper, to the effect that a gentleman was ready and willing to give benefactions exceeding those of the late Mr. PEABODY, could he but upon some perfectly satisfactory plan for the so doing; but he was conscious that to give charity in a manner which should really do good was most difficult. He asked for suggestions. Pending a satisfactory hint, it may be presumed that he expends his superfluous income as described. Three weeks ago *fifty thousand* dollars were thus bestowed in great sums by donors giving three initials. No doubt they came from the same person. Was charity, which will not let the left hand know what the right does, ever done before on so grand a scale?

Much as the people of New-York have had to endure from the audacity of street-railroad companies, it appears that their sufferings have been of a comparatively trivial character in comparison to those of the people of Toronto, Canada. A correspondent of the *Globe*, of that city, in addressing the editor, after asking the question, "Have we any rights?" goes on to say: "The City Railroad Company, not being content with leaving their track in bad repair, have added to the discomfort and injury of the public by putting numberless cart-loads of black cinders and dross between the rails, which, when stirred up by a brisk wind, cause such a cloud of black dust to arise that storekeepers have to shut their doors, and householders their windows. Citizens are fined for throwing ashes on the streets. Can the City Railroad Company trample on the city by-laws?" Surely, New-Yorkers have much to be thankful for that they are not subjected to this terrible cinder nuisance in addition to all the other miseries that the railway companies are permitted to afflict them with.

The Commissioners nominated by Gov. PARKER, and confirmed by the Senate, to prepare and suggest amendments to the New-Jersey State Constitution, to be presented to the Legislature next year, do not appear to give general satisfaction. Upon the principle of the currier, that "there's nothing like leather," the Governor, being himself a lawyer, has thought that, outside of that profession, it is impossible to find men equal to the work of constitution-making. Of the fourteen Commissioners appointed, ten are lawyers. Even his own journals are dissatisfied. One of the number goes so far as to predict that the people will show their disapproval by voting against the amendments. Now, whether this may or may not come true, it is quite clear that Gov. PARKER might have done much better if he had dealt more fairly with the agricultural and manufacturing interests.

Gov. Ingersoll's Staff.

The following appointments have been make by Governor-elect Ingersoll, of Connecticut:

Adjutant-General—Wm. P. Trowbridge, of New-Haven.
Quartermaster-General—Wm. H. Green, of Hartford.
Paymaster-General—Wm. S. Charnley, of New-Haven.
Commissary-General—Andrew S. Jarvis, of Weston.
Surgeon-General—Dr. Frank S. Burgess, of Plainfield.
Aides—William D. Hubbard, of Hartford; Milo B. Richardson, of Salisbury; Charles W. Shelton, and A. Heaton Robinson, of New-Haven.
Private Secretary—Jonathan Ingersoll, of New-Haven.

The President's Movements.

DENVER, Colorado, April 21.—President Grant and party reached Denver safe and well at 1½ P. M. to-day. He will remain here till Monday morning, when the party will leave on a special train for Golden, Blackhawk, and Central City, and from Central City to Idaho Springs. They will take private carriages and return to Denver Monday evening. The President will give a public reception Monday evening, at Governor's Guards Hall. He will probably [illegible] Tuesday morning.

Advertisements

Premium of Insurance.

A Mobile Owner [illegible] Premium of Insurance.

Yesterday in the principal [illegible] of Mr. "Aleck" is to be done at Niblo's. At the Academy of Music, the "Italian Benefaction Festival of the Orpheus Choral Society's Free Tuscanic School" will be celebrated by a concert. A concert will also occur this evening in aid of the Home for the Aged and Destitute Blind, at Robinson Hall, in Sixteenth-st. The performance is to be supplied by volunteers of excellent repute, who have never [illegible] themselves in behalf of a worthier charity. The programme, which embraces an epic of "L'Ombre," a number of instrumental [illegible] well-known [illegible] of "Rosina's Dream," by Vaccai, is to be interspersed with [illegible] Signori Agramonte and Mazzoni. At Wood's Museum, Mr. Dominick Murray is [illegible] to appear in a drama called "[illegible]." The announcements at the other [illegible] no change in the respective [illegible]

OBITUARY.

Commodore John H. Aulick.

Our Washington dispatches announce the death, in that city, of Commodore John H. Aulick, at the advanced age of eighty-five years. This distinguished naval officer has been on the retired list for some years, during which time he has lived in quiet at his home in Washington.

John H. Aulick was born in the State of Virginia in the year 1787, and entered the United States Navy Nov. 18, 1809, at the age of twenty-two years. He was attached to the frigate Enterprise as a midshipman, when she was engaged with the English ship Boxer in the Summer of 1813, and displayed great gallantry, and he was promoted to be lieutenant Dec. 9, 1813. He was present at all of the actions of the Enterprise during the war of 1812-15, and assisted in recapturing her captures, the Boxer and the privateers Fly and Mars, into port. He afterward served on the Saratoga, Columbia and Constitution. After the war he was placed on shore duty until 1827. In that year he was assigned to the frigate Brandywine, and remained in the Pacific Squadron three years, when he was commissioned as master commandant, under date of March 3. In 1834 he was assigned to duty in the Washington Navy-yard, and remained there until 1836, during which he was given the command of the sloop Vincennes. In 1840 he returned to the Government yard at Washington, but remained there only a few months, being promoted to the rank of Captain Sept. 8, 1841. After five years spent on active service at sea, Capt. Aulick found himself again at his old post in Washington, in the Fall of 1846. He was kept on office duty in the Navy-yard for four years, being assigned to ordnance duty in 1851. In the following year he was assigned, as Acting Commodore, to the command of the East India Squadron, which position he held for over a year. It was during this cruise that Capt. Aulick made certain recommendations relative to the American policy toward Japan, which led to the United States Naval Expedition being fitted out and dispatched under the command of Commodore Perry. That expedition resulted in the opening of the Japanese ports to American commerce, and at the same time established an amicable and profitable mercantile intercourse between the two countries, which has continued in all its integrity up to the present time. Capt. Aulick was advanced to the rank of Commodore July 16, 1855, being soon after placed on the retired list in consequence of his advanced age. During the sixty-two years Commodore Aulick passed in the service of his country, he spent twenty-three years and seven months at sea, and did over ten years' service on shore, the remaining twenty-eight years being unemployed. No officer leaves a better record, though the events of the late war naturally gave younger men more prominence.

RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION.

Call for a Convention in this City to Form a Protective Association.

You are respectfully requested to meet at the Astor House, in New-York City, on the 3d day of May, 1873, and there to form an association, the object of which shall be to promote by co-operation the interests of producers and consumers; also for the purpose of considering what can and should be done to reduce the cost of transportation by railroad and water.

The corrupting influences of our railroads upon our representatives should be a question for your consideration. The voting away of the homes'ead lands by Congress to railroad corporations should receive your careful attention so that in the future we may have no more Credit Mobilier transactions to report. The railroads should be taught that they are the servants of the people instead of their masters. That whenever a railroad corporation is convicted of having violated its charter privileges the State in which the violation occurs should resume possession of the road and manage it for the benefit of the State. The enactment of laws that will enable any citizen to call upon the Attorney-General of the State and institute proceedings against any railroad corporation for any neglect on the part of the corporation to perform its duty to the public. The cost to be paid out of the State treasury.

We are all either producers or consumers, and as such, mutually interested. Let all commercial bodies, all farmers' organizations, all mechanical and western manufacturers, and all [illegible] unite in this great work. The [illegible] Committee on "Transportation Routes to the Seaboard" respectfully request that the State governments, boards of trade, chambers of commerce, railroad and canal companies, and other corporations and persons engaged or interested in the subject of transportation will furnish to said committee such facts and statistics as to them may seem material concerning the commerce of the United States, as may be in their possession or are conveniently accessible.

Respectfully submitted.

Hon. W. C. Flagg, Moro, Ill., President State Farmers' Association; S. M. Smith, Secretary Illinois State Farmers' Association; E. H. Ferguson, Troy, N. Y.; J. B. Sargent, New-Haven; Morford & Trubee, Bridgeport, Conn.; D. Phinney, Champaign, Ill.; John A. Coleman, Boston, Mass.; Chesney Ames, Oswego, N. Y.; W. M. Burwell, New-Orleans; F. Chaffee, Rutland, Vt.; M. Kingman, President; E. P. Wooderby, Secretary; Col. Lewis A. Thomas, Committee of the Dubuque Board of Trade, Iowa; T. D. Foulke & Bro., Sidney, Ill.; W. A. Wood, Coshocton, Ohio; M. V. Wood, Elmwood, Neb., and thousands of others in the Western and Eastern States.

Capt. Wright and the Modocs.

A correspondent of the Sacramento *Union* corrects the statement about Capt. Wright having massacred Modocs. He thus writes to the *Union*:

You say, "One Ben. Wright, in 1852, inveigled into his camp of white volunteers, some thirty Modocs unarmed, &c." This cannot be true, for the Modoc Indians were, during that year, in alliance of the Klamaths, proceeded against by regular troops under command of Capt. A. J. Smith, (now brigadier-general United States Army, and who helped Gen. Banks out of the Red River fiasco during the rebellion,) consisting of Companies C and E, second dragoons, and Captain Judah's company, Fourth infantry, assisted by volunteers. But Ben. Wright at that time was in business at Crescent City, and I suppose never was near the Modoc country. He was afterpointed Indian Agent by President Taylor, and his agency was at Port Orford, where he resided, probably, never a Modoc. He was subsequently agent, I think, in 1852. In the Autumn or late Summer of 1853 Ben. Wright was captured during a surprise-massacre by the Rogue River Indians, assisted by some others from the coast tribes, tortured for two hours in every conceivable manner, and he was left for dead, [illegible] operated by the savages that one of them beheaded of having eaten his heart. (I once heard Jo. Evans, the Indian, make the boast, and he fell by my hand.)

Ben. Wright was always considered one of the best of the "Indian" boys, and those who knew him would charge nothing to him such a cowardly and treacherous act. Ha, Ben. Wright, could not have been where such a thing occurred. His memory is tender to many I know, and we all honor his memory, as we have honored him in life. I do not know but this has been the first occasion, though in the Press that poor and noble Ranger has ever resented, for then we had only sources, some time, afterward dignified by the name of the "military arena."

The shame of being killed by an Indian has never deterred good and brave men from defending the defenseless settler, and I remember that the talk in mess at [illegible], was, how much an ambitious officer risked in the performance of his duty; and if killed by the [illegible] his name would be named in the dispatches and returns, while his body would necessarily be consigned to a grave in the mountain, unmarked and unmourned.

There may be a few gentlemen still on the coast who recollect "Poor Ben Wright," and those who knew him well, even better than the writer. To them, I say, let this stigma [illegible] on his memory.

PHELPS, DODGE & CO.

Complete Official History of the Alleged Frauds, and the Compromise by the Firm.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The following is the correspondence from the files of the Treasury Department in relation to the case of Messrs. Phelps, Dodge & Co.:

SPECIAL AGENT JAYNE'S STATEMENT.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, NEW-YORK, SURVEYOR'S OFFICE, Jan. 2, 1873.

Hon. George S. Boutwell, Secretary of the Treasury:

SIR: I have with inclose detailed report of result of examination of the books and papers of Messrs. Phelps, Dodge & Co., importers of metals, doing business in this City.

I have endeavored to make this statement as intelligible as possible, but the large sum involved in the suits that has been instituted and the long and favorable standing of the house must be my justification for explaining at more length than usual the exact character of the fraud, and the character and extent of the proof.

According to ordinary modes of reckoning, a house of the wealth and standing of Phelps, Dodge & Co. would be above the influences that induce the ordinary breed of importers to commit fraud. That great wealth and standing become an almost absolute protection against suspicion of wrong-doing, and a powerful obstruction to the efforts of the Government in detecting that scrutiny which they give to less favored importers.

It would require more than mere suspicion to justify an officer in questioning the truth of the oath taken under bath of a member of this firm before the United States Consul, that an invoice of merchandise purchased by this house and consigned to them was in all respects true; that it represented the exact prices paid, with all charges thereon, *but no other or different invoice* had been or would be furnished to any one.

It would, for the same reasons, require almost positive proof to justify a suspicion that the members of this firm did not swear to the truth when they made entry of declared value, and subscribed an oath that no other or different invoice had been received by them, and that the invoice produced represented the true purchase price, and was in all respects true, and that *no other or different invoice or account* was received by them they would immediately notify the Collector of that fact, and the officer that should have the temerity to proceed, without the most positive proof, to charge such house or any member of it standing with having failed to comply with the law in these most essential particulars must expect to bring upon himself a shower of deserved odium.

Such would be the general aspects of the situation. I proceeded with the investigation of the case with great caution, but having in my possession certain papers purporting to be copies of invoices from the Liverpool house of these goods, giving the sizes, kinds and qualities, with shipping marks, dates, and number of packages, I proceeded to compare them with the Custom-house papers on file, and found them to agree in every case, in the following particulars: Name of vessel, date of shipment, marks, numbers and sizes, and kinds of goods in all the subdivisions that distinguished the different sizes and qualities under the different marks with the number of packages.

Having established beyond question the identity of the goods. Second, that these papers were duplicate invoices of the same goods. Three invoices differed from those in the Custom-house in the following particulars: First, in the price paid, the difference per package being from three pence to four shillings sterling; in quantity, in many cases, the additional shipping package from the Custom-house invoice; in quantity, from the Custom-house or consular invoice, the cost of transportation from Wales, the place of delivery, to Liverpool, the place of shipment.

In other words, the identity of the goods being established, the genuineness of these papers as invoices in the possession of the firm being established, the firm had deliberately violated every provision of the law of 1863 now governing the invoicing and entering of imported merchandise paying ad valorem duty. By comparing these papers with these invoices on file they were found to be in the same handwriting of their Custom house invoices, and I had reason to believe that a systematic fraud had been established. Judge Advocate Noah Davis, then United States Attorney,) to my office to go over the papers with me, and he fully concurred in my belief, that a fraud had been committed, and assisted in preparing a warrant for the seizure of their books and papers. After procuring the warrant, however, Judge Davis suggested that he come to my office and send for the members of the firm, and say to them that he had seen their books as I might indicate, he would not have the warrant served. This course was pursued, and they delivered to me the books as I asked for.

Upon examination of their invoice books exact facsimile invoices of those on file in the Custom-house were found, to which was found attached, in many instances, other invoices similar in character to those heretofore described. This certainty brought the question of fraud and transaction directly home to the members of the firm, and to each one, called by the invoice price, either in selling the goods, making up the accounts, or in conducting the financial transactions of the house.

The only escape and only answer that could be made was that Phelps, Dodge & Co., in the transaction of their enormous business knew nothing of the import or meaning of the oath taken before the United States Consul at Liverpool; knew and realized nothing of the nature of the oath taken almost daily by some member of the firm on entering their goods. Knew nothing of the law enforced so vigorously against their more honest less favored neighbors. In fact, they have come business in New-York, knowing and caring nothing for the laws, or they have deliberately and systematically disregarded and defied the law, with intent to defraud the Government.

The total value of the invoices examined amounted to about one and three-quarters of a million of dollars, and the amount is plainly and certainly fortified by the statute of the United States by the statute of 1863; but by my testimony or detailed statement of facts, but by deliberately and systematically stating the cost of their goods below the purchase price by a false invoice, made false for no conceivable reason but to lessen the duties to be paid to the United States: forfeited for not doing the things commanded by the statute, and which the law made it their duty to do; forfeited for doing what the statute prohibited; forfeited for both doing and not doing; forfeited because they did defraud the United States; forfeited because no explanation can be given or motive found for systematically understating the cost of their goods, except that they did intend to defraud the United States.

If ignorance or pretense that they acted in ignorance of the law can be made to serve, then the plea of ignorance of the goods, of the prices paid, and the intent can never be inferred from any act, and the first elements of reasoning are set at naught in the investigation. Some motive for that will explain why they made the two sets of invoices.

The items proven in these several invoices to be undervalued, when taken separately amount to about $270,000. The percentage of loss on the whole is small, but the shortage in the importations of the house are very extensive, and if the same or nearly the same percentage of fraud extends through their importations other than those included in the present suit, the amount of duties which would have accrued to the United States would have been some $10,000 or $15,000 per year, perhaps more. Be this as it may, the evidence on these invoices is conclusive.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant, B. G. JAYNE, Special Agent.

ACTION OF THE DISTRICT-ATTORNEY.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT-ATTORNEY OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW-YORK, NEW-YORK, Jan. 7, 1873.

Hon. E. C. Banfield, Solicitor of the Treasury Department:

SIR: I am informed by Mr. Bryant, an officer of compromise made on behalf of Phelps, Dodge & Co., in the suit of the United States *vs.* themselves. The suit is brought to recover nominally $1,000,000, though the declaration filed in the case discloses a few thousand dollars less. The charge is for violation of the first section of the act of Congress of March 3, 1863. The facts in the case are as follows:

Acting upon information received by him, Special Agent Jayne, a week since called upon a warrant to seize the books and papers of the defendants. My predecessor, after a careful examination, deemed it a proper case for the issue of a warrant, but before it was issued it was sent for the senior member of the house, and he voluntarily produced the books, though one of the junior partners attempted to keep back the one book which was especially desired, being one containing invoices and memoranda. An examination showed what was believed before, that the defendants had committed two apparently distinct species of fraud. One of undervaluing in invoicing the goods shipped from Liverpool at the prices paid in Wales, for which they were with the invoices brief memoranda stating that fact in terms, the memoranda being sent by the Liverpool house, always in the same handwriting, stating the amount as "so much more to you at the prices paid in Wales," or words to that effect. There is at hand no means of showing the amount of undervaluation on this account, or we have no proof of such undervaluation. The other species of fraud consisted in drilling undervaluation of some single item, or class of items, in an invoice in which most of the items were entered at their true value. There are two instances in which a whole invoice seems to have been undervalued.

There is no actual evidence of any fraud in either class prior to January, 1871. The books, neither before nor since, contain any evidence of fraud, but it is found in the memoranda already referred to, and in duplicates (true) invoices. If these ever existed for the importations prior to about January, 1871, they have been destroyed. The informer asserts that such frauds have extended over several years, and there is considerable indirect proof that this is so in the similarity of rates in standard items before and since January, 1871, the invoices showing the same prices before 1871 in the classes of goods to which we have been undervalued since that time.

Of invoices entered since early in 1871 which are tainted with fraud the total value is $1,726,060. The items in these invoices which undervaluations occur amount to $217,017 23,100, while the amount of undervaluation is $6,656 78/100. The total amount of duties lost to the Government was $1,664 68-100. The total importations of the defendants are about $5,000,000 a year.

While investigation was going on various proposals of compromise were made, but none of them were such that the collector deemed it worth while to hold out any hope that they would be accepted, though I think that my predecessor was disposed to advise the acceptance of a considerably smaller sum than the one offered. I was personally cognizant of the whole proceedings, but took no active part in them until after I had taken my oath of office. I yesterday devoted considerable time to the examination of the papers.

After careful consideration I have decided to recommend the acceptance of the compromise offered. I am influenced to this course by the fact that the nominal amount claimed is so enormous in comparison with the amount of undervaluation and fraud that I believe it would be exceedingly difficult to obtain a verdict for the amount claimed. The smallness in amount of the fraud also makes the amount offered an adequate, perhaps an extraordinary, punishment for the offense committed. The proposal, therefore, seems to me to secure the two things that should be required, an adequate sum to punish the offenders and a payment into the Treasury not only of the amount diverted from it, but of as large a sum as it is probable that litigation would secure.

I am a little sorry that my first formal official act should be to recommend a compromise for a sum which seems so much smaller than the amount the Government could justly claim. In the recommendation I make I have the consolation and only of the officers of customs, but of my experienced predecessor.

Your obedient servant, GEORGE BLISS, JR., United States Attorney, Southern District of New-York.

FIRST PROPOSAL OF COMPROMISE.

NEW-YORK, Jan. 2, 1872.

Geo. Bliss, Jr., Esq., United States Attorney for the Southern District of New-York:

SIR: As the attorneys of Messrs. Phelps, Dodge & Co. in the suit of the United States against Wm. E. Dodge and others, composing the said firm, this day instituted for a claim of $1,000,000 for alleged violations of the revenue laws of the United States in relation to the importation of merchandise, and particularly the provisions of the first section of the act of Congress approved March 3, 1863, in respect of the entry of certain importations of merchandise within and during the five years last past, we are instructed by our client—while protesting that no fraudulent intent has ever been entertained by them toward the revenue of the United States in any of their acts respecting said or any importations made by them—to offer in compromise and settlement of the said claim of the United States in the said suit the sum of $250,000 in United States currency, on the sole ground that there may have been acts in connection with the entry of the said importations in violation of the provisions of the said statute, and rendering it proper that such an offer as the above should be made.

Yours, &c., WAKEMAN & LATTING, Attorneys for the Defendants.

WILLIAM FULLERTON, of Counsel.

MR. JAYNE WILLING TO SETTLE.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, NEW-YORK, Jan. 6, 1873.

Hon. E. C. Banfield, Solicitor of the Treasury Department:

SIR: Suit was instituted against the firm of Phelps, Dodge & Co. for the recovery of $1,000,000 currency, being the value of certain invoices of merchandise imported by them in violation of the first section of the act of March 3, 1863. The defendants offer the sum of $250,000 to compromise the suit. I would recommend the acceptance of this offer for the following reasons:

First—This sum will more than reimburse the Government for any probable loss.

Second—This firm is composed of a large number of members, and the uncertainty of all human affairs, when taken in connection with the unavoidable delays of the law, is of itself a strong argument in favor of acceptance.

Third—The purpose and intent of the law will have been complied with.

Very respectfully your obedient servant, B. G. JAYNE, Special Agent.

SECOND PROPOSAL.

NEW-YORK, Jan. 2, 1872.

George Bliss, Jr., Esq., United States Attorney for the Southern District of New-York:

SIR: Whereas, a suit has been commenced this day against William E. Dodge and others, composing the firm of Phelps, Dodge & Co., to recover damages or penalties in the alleged sum of $1,000,000 for certain alleged violations of the revenue laws of the United States; and whereas, there are certain invoices of importations entered into the Custom-house by said Company between the 1st day of January, 1868, and the 1st day of January, 1873, which are claimed by the United States to have been in violation of the revenue laws of the United States.

Now, for the adjustment and compromise of all claims arising out of violations of the revenue laws of the United States between said date, and the settlement thereof, the mercantile firm of Phelps, Dodge & Co., by their attorneys, hereby offer to compromise said suit and all violations of said revenue laws by entry and payment of a judgment in said suit in favor of the United States, for the sum of $250,000 in currency without costs, which sum is hereby offered and is to be received by the Government in full compromise, satisfaction, and payment of all duties, penalties, and forfeitures for said or any violations of the laws of the United States, by said Phelps, Dodge & Co., between said dates.

WAKEMAN & LATTING, Attorneys for Defendants.

WILLIAM FULLERTON, of Counsel.

Special Agent Jayne wrote to the Solicitor of the Treasury, under date of Feb. 5, 1873, stating that the amount of the error in the value of the items undervalued in all the invoices so far as could be traced, including two invoices entire where the undervaluation consisted in leaving off about $1,000 dutiable charges, and signifying that he (Mr. Jayne) was decidedly in favor of accepting this offer.

MR. DODGE EXPLAINS THE THIRD OFFER.

NEW-YORK, Feb. 8, 1873.

Hon. Geo. S. Boutwell, Washington:

MY DEAR SIR: As the attorneys of my firm have received an offer for compromise I deem it proper to advise you of the reasons of this step.

On the first notice being given us that through misapprehension of the revenue laws we had violated some of its provisions, we offered, on consultation with officers of the Customs here, to select out the items from the various invoices which they claimed had been undervalued, and to pay to the Government their full amounts. This, however, was modified to a round sum estimated to cover same.

As there was long and unexpected delay in acting upon the offer, and our motives were likely to be misapprehended, we concluded to withdraw, and so advised you. We find, however, which we did not then know, that you had already approved of the proposed settlement, and it was considered as settled by the officers of the Government here. They felt that our withdrawal, at so late an hour, did not seem in good faith with them, and we have therefore concluded, if the matter can be at once closed, to renew our offer, and that it may fully cover all claims made by your agents here, we make this in the exact sum ascertained by them.

Very respectfully yours, &c., W. E. DODGE.

MR. BOUTWELL CORRECTS AN ERROR.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10, 1873.

William E. Dodge, Esq., care Phelps, Dodge & Co., Importers, New-York:

SIR: I am in receipt of your letter of the 8th inst., advising me that your attorneys have renewed an offer for the compromise of a suit commenced by the United States against your firm.

In that letter you state that you did not know when the last offer was withdrawn, that the Secretary of the Treasury had already approved of the proposed settlement. I write you early to advise you that such is not the statement so made to you in good faith. Your second offer for compromise was under consideration when it was withdrawn, but the department had not reached a conclusion as to what should be done, nor was it in possession of information sufficient to justify action at that time.

If your action in renewing the proposition has been influenced by this representation, you will have an opportunity to consider the subject anew, and take such course as you may think proper before final action by this department.

Very respectfully, GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Secretary.

To this Mr. Dodge replied stating that he adhered to the last offer, which was referred by the Secretary to the Solicitor of the Treasury.

THE THIRD OFFER ACCEPTED.

The Solicitor of the Treasury, Feb. 13, addressed a letter to Wakeman & Latting, counsel for the firm, stating that the first offer of compromise was rejected for the reason that it was accompanied by asseverations of innocence of all intent to defraud the revenue; the second, because it contained a condition that the sum offered to be paid should be received in full compromise, satisfaction, and payment of all duties and forfeitures for any violations of the laws by Phelps, Dodge & Co., between Jan. 1, 1868, and Jan. 1, 1873, as no facts were submitted in connection with the case that would justify the Secretary of the Treasury in giving so broad a release as was asked; and that the third proposition was open to the same objection as was made to the second, and he therefore declined to recommend it to the Secretary of the Treasury for his favorable action. The objection he considered so conclusive as to preclude the necessity of considering the proposition in any other aspect.

On the 17th, however, he wrote to the Secretary of the Treasury inclosing the communication from the United States Attorney of New-York of the 8th, transmitting the proposal made on behalf of Messrs. Phelps, Dodge & Co. to compromise and settle, and adding that, "upon further consideration, I am disposed to recommend that the proposition be accepted, upon the understanding and condition that the release to be given to Phelps, Dodge & Co., upon the payment of said sum, shall only extend to and cover such alleged frauds upon the revenue as have been called to the notice of the Treasury Department by Mr. Jayne, the Special Agent of the Treasury, who has had charge of the investigation. If you concur in this recommendation, I will authorize the United States Attorney to conclude the compromise upon the condition herein indicated being accepted by Phelps, Dodge & Co."

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The Solicitor instructed the United States Attorney in New-York, in accordance with the Secretary's views, and on the 27th of March, 1873, the institution was had (compromised) by master in dispute between the Government and the firm of Phelps, Dodge & Co., by means of certain papers, of which no unsummited copies, adding: "You will please to advise me the receipt of your favor of the 27th ult., addressed a letter to Mr. Jayne, the special agent referred to in it, in order that by means of his reply I might be able to define more clearly the matters included in the settlement; and I have received from him a reply, of which a copy is herewith inclosed. I thereupon, after some negotiation, received from Messrs. Phelps, Dodge & Co. the sum of $271,017 23, and gave to them a receipt, of which a copy is among the papers. It appeared to me that in this way the limits of the settlement were more definitely marked than could be done by the drawing of any declaration, or by any more formal agreement. Owing to the manner in which the settlement was made, the money was not paid into the registry of the court, but an order was entered adjusting the costs of the clerk, and of the District Attorney and the balance, amounting to $262,872 14, was paid over to the Collector of the Port, and his receipt taken. This course was pursued in accordance with your consent given to me verbally. The documents and evidence of the suit has not been entered, but will be at once."

THE SETTLEMENT, AND WHAT WAS SETTLED.

Mr. Jayne, in his reply to the United States Attorney's letter, referred to above, making inquiry in regard to what was covered by his report in the case of Phelps, Dodge & Co., says: "My investigations covered all the importations of that house for five years next preceding Jan. 1, 1873, and the matters called to the attention of the department related to undervaluations of merchandise, as well as suspected payments of money for damage allowances during that period."

RECEIPT.

Whereas by letter of Hon. E. C. Banfield, Solicitor of the Treasury, dated Feb. 17, 1873, of which a copy is hereto annexed, certain authority is given to the undersigned; and whereas, for the purpose of defining the same more accurately, the undersigned on Feb. 22, 1873, addressed to E. C. Jayne, the special agent therein referred to, a letter, a copy of which is hereto annexed, to which the said Jayne replied on Feb. 24, 1873, in a letter, of which a copy is hereto annexed: This instrument witnesseth that I have this day received from Phelps, Dodge & Co. the sum of $271,017 23, in full settlement and compromise of the claims of the United States upon them on account of the matters in said letters referred to, including the matters involved in the case of the United States against Phelps, Dodge & Co., now pending in the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.

GEO. BLISS, JR., Feb. 25, 1873. United States Attorney.

CRIME AND ITS PREVENTION.

A Sermon on Behalf of the Shepherd's Fold.

A sermon in behalf of the building fund of the Shepherd's Fold, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, was preached, last evening, by Rev. Dr. Conrad, in the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Forty-fifth-street and Fifth-avenue. The reverend gentleman said that his purpose was to call the attention of his hearers to those charities in which they were permitted to follow the example of their blessed Master, when He took up little children in His arms and blessed them. He desired to ask their offerings for the Shepherd's Fold, an institution pledged to receive and adopt friendless little ones, to provide them with a home, educate them, and send them forth well fitted for a worthy life. The subject he had chosen would necessarily lead them much deeper into the miseries of this vast City than they could be led by an analysis of the work performed by the noble-hearted women who direct the Shepherd's Fold, for it required no great penetration, on consultation with officers of the Customs here, to select out the items from the various invoices which they claimed had been undervalued, and to pay to the Government their full amounts. This, however, was modified to a round sum estimated to cover same.

As there was long and unexpected delay in acting upon the offer, and our motives were likely to be misapprehended, we concluded to withdraw, and so advised you. We find, however, which we did not then know, that you had already approved of the proposed settlement, and it was considered as settled by the officers of the Government here. They felt that our withdrawal, at so late an hour, did not seem in good faith with them, and we have therefore concluded, if the matter can be at once closed, to renew our offer, and that it may fully cover all claims made by your agents here, we make this in the exact sum ascertained by them.

Very respectfully yours, &c., W. E. DODGE.

MR. BOUTWELL CORRECTS AN ERROR.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10, 1873.

William E. Dodge, Esq., care Phelps, Dodge & Co., Importers, New-York:

SIR: I am in receipt of your letter of the 8th inst., advising me that your attorneys have renewed an offer for the compromise of a suit commenced by the United States against your firm.

In that letter you state that you did not know when the last offer was withdrawn, that the Secretary of the Treasury had already approved of the proposed settlement. I write you early to advise you that such is not the statement so made to you in good faith. Your second offer for compromise was under consideration when it was withdrawn, but the department had not reached a conclusion as to what should be done, nor was it in possession of information sufficient to justify action at that time.

If your action in renewing the proposition has been influenced by this representation, you will have an opportunity to consider the subject anew, and take such course as you may think proper before final action by this department.

Very respectfully, GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Secretary.

To this Mr. Dodge replied stating that he adhered to the last offer, which was referred by the Secretary to the Solicitor of the Treasury.

THE THIRD OFFER ACCEPTED.

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The Solicitor instructed the United States Attorney

GENERAL NOTES.

A married Indiana man has eloped with his stepmother.

Miss Jennie Collins, of Boston, is ill with pneumonia at Fall River.

A Lynchburg paper says that Jubal Early has "never yet surrendered."

A Newport cat washes its face in a basin as neatly and skilfully as its proud owner.

Fred. Douglass was refused the use of the Opera-house in Lexington, Ky., for a lecture.

A Wisconsin minister struck his balky horse so hard that the stubborn animal fell dead.

Cincinnati beer-drinkers are clamoring for a reduction in the price to three cents a glass.

The postal-cars are to be run directly into the basement of the new Post-office building in Boston.

Rev. S. S. Sturgis, of the Presbyterian Church in Newcastle, Del., has sued for his salary.

A Montreal boy fell six stories through the hoistway of a store, last week, and did not break a bone.

Several hundred copies of John Smith's map of Virginia, of date 1606, have been printed for the State.

Proceedings have been instituted against two papers in Toronto for publishing a gift-enterprise advertisement.

A Philadelphia lawyer is under arrest for failure to pay over $8,209 collected by him for a Pittsburg liquor firm.

Springfield people are beginning to think the street-cars ought to be run on Sundays to accommodate church-goers.

A New-Haven man has invented a machine to run on wheels inside sewers, to clear out the accumulations of sand.

The Common Council of Boston has voted $300 to each of the Grand Army posts toward the expenses of Decoration Day.

A Chicago druggist, whose clerk's "mistake" cost a woman her life, has been sued for $25,000 damages by her husband.

The Des Moines (Iowa) *Register* appeals to somebody to invent a windmill for grinding. Somebody should send it a hand-organ.

The Indianapolis *Journal* appeals to Congress to make suitable provision for the widow of Gen. Canby, that officer having died poor.

One of the oldest citizens of Bedford, Mass., is under arrest, charged with so maniatting a liberty-pole as to make it unfit for use.

A Lynn man has invented a substitute for sole leather, which, he claims, is cheaper in price and superior in durability to that article.

An Iowa man, whose wife recently presented him with their fourth pair of twins, has been to hear that it is possible to overdo the thing.

It is only an obscure Georgia paper that said "Three cheers for the gallant Modocs," on receipt of the news of the treacherous assassination of Gen. Canby.

The two love-sick Wisconsin girls, who the other day unsuccessfully attempted to commit suicide together by poison, have, since drowned themselves.

A bluff-looking Canadian has been victimizing sharp Portland merchants by paying them for goods with bills of a Clifton Bank that failed fifteen years ago.

Gen. Garfield has published an address to his constituents explaining why he thinks it unjust to ask him to resign his seat on account of his action on the Back Salary bill.

The Providence *Journal* thinks the Government ought to have made an appropriation for both Secretary Seward and Senator Sumner, in consideration of the injuries they received.

It is asserted that a Vermont family, living on a retired road that had been blocked with snow for several weeks, were recently found to have been keeping Monday for the Sabbath.

William H. Fry, mail agent on the Winona and St. Paul Railroad, has run 120,400 miles, has never missed a regular trip, and has never had an accident of any kind happen to his train.

Keeping hotel is profitable in Florida. One, owned by a stock company, lately declared an annual dividend of thirty-five per cent. Another, when open but six weeks, divided ten per cent.

State Senator Joseph Dysart is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Lieutenant Governor of Iowa, on the railroad tariff issue. The Des Moines *Register* says he is "of our best type of Iowa men."

Minister Washburne has sent $25 to a gentleman in Illinois, to be used in defending the suits instituted by the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company against the farmers who refused to pay more than the legal fare.

The Democratic Legislature of Kentucky has found it necessary to pass a special law to insure the punishment of Kuklux, and yet the Democratic papers of the North assert that there are no Kuklux, and never have been any.

A meeting of the Governor and Council of New-Hampshire is to be held in Concord tomorrow, to hear the rival claims of Hon. A. F. Pike and S. N. Bell to a seat in Congress, as representative from the Second District of the State.

He lives in Banks County, Georgia, his name is Henry Jackson, he is 115 years old, has never had a day's sickness, and, alas! says that he has "never belonged to a temperance society, but has been a good, honest drinking man ever since he was a boy."

A correspondent of a New-Haven paper suggests that the city give up the sole capital to Hartford on condition of receiving $500,000 for the scientific school, which, he claims, will do New-Haven more good in five years than the capital will Hartford in twenty.

It has been decided to hold the convention of Congressmen to consider the agricultural, manufacturing, and commercial needs of the South in St. Louis, on the 13th of May. The President, Vice-President, and Cabinet are to be invited to be present.

The military conventions to be held in New-Haven will cause a change in the time of the anniversary exercises of the Yale Divinity School in New-Haven, and they will take place on Tuesday, May 13, instead of Thursday. Rev. William M. Thayer, of this City, will deliver the address before the alumni in the evening.

A committee of the Union Baptist Sunday-school, of Cincinnati, including the pastor and the superintendent, have sent a petition to President Grant, praying him to cause the perpetrators of the bloody crime at Colfax, La., to be hunted down, and swift justice dealt out to them.

What shall be done with a man who manifests a disposition to speculate in that glorious bird of freedom, the American eagle? A Newburyport man threatens to precipitate a speedy answer to the hard question, as he has captured four eagles, and promises to set them free at once on Boston Common, if $100 is raised and paid to him.

Notwithstanding the numerous complaints of bad management of the free-school of Texas, one of the Democratic papers admits that they are better conducted than schools ever have been before in the State, and that a much larger number of youths are now attending than at any former period.

A telegraph operator in Baltimore, recently sued a friend for twenty-five cents, the amount he paid for a telegram sent at his request. He obtained a verdict for the amount and costs, aggregating $1 95, but the defendant appealed, and has finally given bond in the sum of fifty cents.

Seven Persons Suffocated.

On the morning of April 13, about 2 o'clock, a fire was discovered breaking out in the house No. 26 Gay-street, Liverpool, a densely-populated neighborhood. The house was three stories high, and occupied by eleven persons. On the lowest floor the landlord and his wife, named Schorah, lived. The middle apartment was occupied by a negro named Stafford and his wife, and in the garret lived Mr. and Mrs. Edwards with their daughter Susan, aged twelve, and three male children, aged respectively five years, three years, and twelve months. The flames and smoke were so dense that it was some time before the police could effect an entrance, and when they did so they found Mrs. Schorah suffocated and the corpse was recognized. The man Edwards was found dead in bed, and his wife and family in bed. They were all six dragged out of the room by the staircase, or by ladders placed to the window, and were conveyed insensible to the Hospital, where they died almost immediately. Schorah was found lying behind a burning sofa in his room. He was brought out fearfully charred and died very shortly. His wife states that he had been drinking all day, and at 10 o'clock was carousing with Mrs. Edwards. Dreading his violence, she left the house and did not return. She believed the fire was caused by her husband upsetting a paraffin oil lamp placed on the mantelpiece.

FRENCH COOKING.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

E. P. W.'s second letter confirms the impression which I had formed from his first. He has fallen into bad hands and been imposed upon. This is evident from his remarks on soup *à la reine*. That soup requires a first-rate artist to prepare it. It is a test and triumph of *haute cuisine*. I have no hesitation in admitting that my cook cannot make it, yet she served three years as kitchen maid under a French cook—that is to say, an Alsatian. (Most of the so-called French female cooks here are Alsatians, and none the worse for that, the people of the conquered provinces, even when they speak German, being thoroughly French in their culinary ideas.) Three years she served under an Alsatian, and for four more she has had the benefit of my experience and instruction, yet I would not trust her to make *potage à la reine*. It is difficult to make; a bad imitation may be "nasty in flavor and appearance," but the real thing is pretty to look at and pleasant to eat. If E. P. W. still asserts that he has eaten the real article, and that it is "nasty," then I can only say, *De gustibus non disputandum*—there is no accounting for tastes. "Every one to his own liking," as the infatuated person observed, who was in the habit of reading the *Tribune*.

So far as this, I perfectly agree with E. P. W., that, where you are not sure of your ground, the simplest thing you can find to eat is the safest. That was a wise Englishman who, dining at a Chinese restaurant, and not understanding the language, was nevertheless resolved to ascertain the nature of a ragout handed to him before he tried it. So he looked appealingly at the waiter. "Quack, quack!" "Bow-wow!" responded the servant promptly; and then the bold Briton passed the puppy to his neighbor. I have sometimes been where it was expedient to dine on bread and cheese and beer. But such places occur at least as frequently under an English, Irish, or American as under a French régime, for—and of this great truth E. P. W. himself appears to have an inkling—a "good plain cook" is as hard to get as a (fairly) good French cook—far, much harder. You have more trouble to get an article which is not so good when you have got it.

But when you are in the house of a friend who is a friend and understands table æsthetics, when you are in a hotel or restaurant of good reputation, are you to be terrified at a dish because the first glimpse or the first taste does not enable you to analyze it? Surely this is carrying suspicion beyond the bounds of prudence. When I dine with my old acquaintance De Noailles, I know he will not give me any bow-wow, and if, in course of the banquet, he gives any dish more or less new to me, that is a pleasant surprise. It is this same thing with drink. If I am in a tavern, or in a private house for that matter, where I am not sure of my liquor, any unusual taste instantly provokes doubt; but where I "know the ropes," it is rather an agreeable diversion to find a wine which puzzles me at first. The other night the French Minister exhibited some Chateau d'Yquem so much richer and fuller than the usual quality that I failed to recognize it and took it for some extra kind of Cyprus or Malmesley. Now, I like such surprises, if E. P. W. doesn't, I can only say again *De gustibus*, &c.

He asks: "What will a Frenchman do with a shad?" Probably, in the first place, find some contrivance for taking out the bones and enabling us to eat it in comfort and safety. But I ask him: What can he do with a bass? (A very important question to us here in Kalmazoo, where there is scarcely any other fish to be had at this season.) Boil it, and then broil the next one. Now I take a bass—or rock fish, as it is called here—cut it up, and with the aid of tomatoes, and onions, and garlic, and bay leaf, and chilli, and other little things which E. P. W. doesn't like, I make what the Creoles call a *court bouillon*, and the French a *matelotte*, and a capital dish it is.

Or, take the turkey. He is a very ordinary bird. The New-Englanders rave about him because they have little butchers' meats, their beef is bad and their mutton worse, and they must have *some poker variations* (turkey), but by itself turkey is very moderate eating, much below chicken. The turkey, however, presents a good foundation to operate upon. Let us go to work on him artistically. We stuff him with chestnuts and roast him; that is a good way. We boil him, and prepare for him a sauce of oysters and celery; that is a better way. If we are able to command the expense, we stuff him full of truffles two days beforehand and then roast him; that is better still.

E. P. W. speaks of "the average man" and "the uneducated palate." Of course there will always be a great difference between the educated and the uneducated. An uneducated person may not like music or painting, certainly cannot like French or Italian cooking. But the *Agamemnon* of Æschylus one of the greatest works of human genius, and read it with extreme pleasure; but I could not make any man agree with me unless he knew Greek, and a good deal of Greek. There are people who think that Homer was an old humbug, and Shakespeare another, and Dante vastly overrated. They have a right to their opinion. This is a free country, more or less, but they need not insist on shrusing it upon others. Again, there are probably 300,000 human beings in this land who have read Dr. Holland's *Kerona*—I beg its pardon, *Katharina*. I pity them from the very bottom of my heart, but they have a perfect right to read and like what they please. But suppose they, or any of them, should insist on my reading *Katharina*—every line of it—and then making affidavit that Dr. Holland was an agreeable minor poet—wouldn't I see them in a state of beatitude first?

Cookery I take to be one of the minor arts. E. P. W. apparently prefers the simplicity of barbarism. I fear we must agree to differ.

CARL BENSON.

SATURDAY, April 26, 1873.

SUNDAY'S NEWS.

The following is a brief summary of the news which appeared in yesterday's TIMES:

FOREIGN.

A dispatch from Madrid says the Carlists have been defeated several times recently in encounters with the Republican forces. In one of the engagements over 100 of the insurrectionists were wounded.

Rumors of a change in the ministry are current in Madrid.

The Government of Holland has ordered fourteen steam naval vessels to proceed at once to Sumatra for the purpose of cooperating with the Dutch troops now on that island in their movement against the Atchinese.

A critical test of the French Cable shows it is broken at a distance of 208 miles from the French coast.

The Prince of Wales is en route for Vienna.

The London Republicans have undertaken the prosecution of the Carlist Committee in London, who are collecting funds for Don Carlos, as they claim, in violation of international law.

A Havana dispatch states that Gen. Riqueline has been ordered to return to Spain.

HOME.

An extra freight train, bound west, on the Erie Railway ran off the track near Ramsey, N. J., on Saturday morning, wrecking the engine and fourteen cars. The engineer, Robert Kirkwood, was killed, and the conductor, E. O. Harding, severely injured.

Brioeland, a convicted murderer, who recently escaped jail in Washington, Penn., has been recaptured near Collier's Station, West Va.

George Gilmore, aged seven years, was shot through the head and instantly killed by his brother William, in Philadelphia, Saturday. The shooting was accidental.

A farmer, residing in Germantown, near Dayton, Ohio, named Heaney, his son John, and daughter Catherine, were poisoned at supper on Wednesday night. It is supposed that arsenic was put in the coffee.

A dispatch from Portland, Oregon, says that the Indians who recently left the Yakima reservation, in that State, have made their appearance in the Lewis River settlements arrayed in war paint. A general outbreak of the Indians in Eastern Oregon is feared, and the settlers have requested the Governor of the State to furnish them with arms.

The town of Mariana, Ark., has been destroyed by fire, involving a loss of $50,000.

The Memphis (Tenn.) Life and General Insurance Bank has suspended, with liabilities of only $25,000.

The game of base-ball in Philadelphia, on Saturday, between the Athletic and Baltimore Base-ball Clubs, was won by the Athletics—11 to 4.

Judge Blodgett, in the United States Circuit Court, Chicago, on Saturday, granted the petition of J. C. Hilton, and the Commercial National Bank of Chicago, for the adjudication in bankruptcy of the Great Western Telegraph Company.

In the Circuit Court at Annapolis, on Saturday, in the case of The People against Mrs. Elizabeth G. Wharton, indicted for an attempt to murder Eugene Van Ness, a *nolle* was entered by the Prosecuting Attorney. This ends the famous Wharton trials.

Hon. Albert J. Smith, member of Parliament for Westmoreland, N. B., has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of New-Brunswick.

Gov. Dix has pardoned Jacob Nissler, of New-York, sentenced to Sing Sing for life for murder in the second degree.

LOCAL.

The Atlantic National Bank, No. 17 Nassau-street, suspended Saturday. The Cashier is a defaulter to the extent of $400,000.

The shore ends of the new French

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The auctioneer's hammer was busy over the sales of real estate by the Harcourt Brothers, by Walter Wilkins & Co., at the Exchange, on Thursday of last week, has had a telling effect upon business, not only leading to the closing up of contracts heretofore only talked of, but in causing an increased demand for up-town real estate in every direction. The inquiry is strong, and the market generally is in a better and firmer condition than it has been in some time past. This auction, at which 169 lots, located respectively on Tenth and Eleventh avenues, Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, were disposed of for $1,102,825 in the aggregate, was, of course, the principal event of the week, but other public sales have also been of importance, at which valuable property was sold. We refer to the sale of one lot on Fifth-avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-sixth streets, on Tuesday, for $83,000, and the sale of eight lots, on the McGown-avenue, Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, the same day, for $38,500, in the total; also the sale of two lots, with buildings, on Sixth-avenue, north-west corner of Forty-second-street, for $70,000, effected on Wednesday, all by Messrs. Muller & Co. In fact, most of the sales of the week have been attended with a current success, and the total sum realized for City property sold at the Exchange for the six business days ending with Saturday, April 26, amounts to $3,000,000, as against the sum of $668,000, the former for the week ending with Saturday, April 19. In the week ending with Saturday, Jan. 25, during the month, real estate to the value of $27,278; and on Monday last, 28 Astoria, Long Island, the same business conducted an auction at which property to the amount of $26,979 was disposed of. No business was transacted on Saturday.

THIS WEEK'S AUCTIONS

During the present week, at the Exchange, unless otherwise announced, public sales will be held as follows:

To-day, (Monday,) April 28.

By Muller, Wilkins & Co., foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, George de Forest Lord, Esq., referee, of the five four-story brick stores and lots situate on the east side of Broadway, commencing on the north-east corner of Twenty-first-street, and known as Nos. 922, 924, 926, 928, and 930 Broadway, being from 19.11 to 22.6 feet in width by 96.9 to 123.11 feet in depth; a very valuable property, formerly owned by the Cram estate, for which, at the execution sale of that estate, over $800,000 was realized; the five lots together form a plot in size 102.5 by 96.9 by 96.5 by 123.11. Also, public auction sales of the following other City realty: The valuable improved dwelling-house and lot of ground, with the three-story brick house thereon, situate on the north side of Eighteenth-street, between Broadway and Fourth-avenue, 20.2 feet east of Broadway; in front, 20.2 feet in rear, and 92 feet deep. Lots on the east side of the Boulevard, commencing at the south-east corner of Eighty-second-street; each 25.6 by 85 feet; the whole in front, 102.6 feet, with the same depth. Also, the three-story brick dwelling-house, with the store and lot thereto attached, on the north-west corner of Jackson and Front streets, known as No. 79; lot 16.2 by 75 feet; also, the three-story high-stoop brown-stone front house, with the two-story brick rear building, and lease of lot, No. 61 West Forty-eighth-street, north side, 75 feet west of Fifth-avenue; lot 21 by 100.5. Also, sale on account of former purchaser of two lots on West Sixty-eighth-street, south side, 100 feet west of Eleventh-avenue, in size each 25 by 100.5. Also, adjourned foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Joseph Meeks, Esq., referee, of plot of lots, in size 115 by 100.5, on West Sixty-eighth-street, north side, 100 feet west of Eleventh-avenue, with one lot in rear fronting on Sixty-ninth-street.

By Muller, Wilkins & Co., public auction sales of the following property: The two lots, with the frame buildings on the front and the brick factory buildings on the rear thereof, situate on the north side of Christopher-street, 100 feet west of Bleecker, and known as Nos. 111 and 113, being together 50 feet front by 98 feet deep. Also, the two lots of land on north side of Sixth-street, commencing 83 feet west of Avenue C, No. 439, and known as No. 441. The lots are leased to March 4, 1874, the buildings belong to the present tenant and will be removed at expiration of lease; lots each 25 by 90.10. Two lots south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth-street, commencing 175 feet east of Twelfth-avenue; each 25 by 99.11, and one lot north side of One Hundred and Fiftieth-street, 475 feet east of Tenth-avenue, near St. Nicholas-avenue; 25 by 98 feet. Also, foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Wm. H. Hart, Esq., referee, of a house and lot on Broome-street, north side, 25 feet west of Sheriff-street, lot 25 by 67.

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co., public auction sale of two lots on West Sixty-fourth-street, south side, 200 feet west of Eighth-avenue, and about the same distance east of the Grand Boulevard; each 25 by 100.5.

By James L. Mills, foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, William H. Leonard, Esq., referee, of a house and lot on East Seventeenth-street, south side, 200.8 feet east of Fourth-avenue, lot 25.8 by 92. Also, similar sale, by C. Demarest, Esq., referee, of a house and lot on West Twenty-fourth-street, north side, 208.6 feet west of Eighth-avenue, lot 18.6 by 98.9.

Friday, May 2.

By Wm. Kennelly, trustee's sale, under the direction of Alfred Roe, Esq., of one lot, with improvements, on Ninth-avenue, west side, 25 feet south of Forty-ninth-street, 17 feet 8.6 by 100 by 57.7 by 102.7. Also, adjourned Sheriff's sale of City real estate, viz.: house and lot, [illegible]-avenue, south-west corner Twelfth-street, lot 25 by 80; two houses and lots, Second-avenue, west side, 48 feet south of Twelfth-street, lots each 20 by 80; house and lot, Second-avenue, west side, adjoining, lot 20 by 100, and one house and lot on East Twelfth-street, south side, 80 feet west of Second-avenue, lot 20 by 92.

By James M. Miller, foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Wm. H. Leonard, Esq., referee, of three lots on Third-avenue, south-east corner of Seventy-first street, north side, 300 feet west of Fourth-avenue, together forming a plot in size 75 by 75 by [illegible] feet. Also, similar sale, by C. Demarest, Esq., referee, of a house and lot on the north side of Twenty-fourth-street, 200 feet west of Eighth-avenue, lot 18.6 by 98.9. Also, sale under the same decree of the two-story brick dwelling-house and lot on the north side of Twenty-fourth-street, 218.6 feet west of Eighth-avenue, lot 18.6 by 98.9.

By Wm. Kennelly, adjourned trustees' sale of City real estate of Nathaniel Roche as follows: For five-story brown-stone-front stores, dwellings, and lots, Nos. 920, 922, 924, 926, and 928 Eighth-avenue, north-east corner of Fifty-first-street, lots each 18 10 by 62.6; also, for two three-story brown-stone-front house and lot, No. 237 West Fifty-fifth-street, in rear the above, lot 18.9 by 75.5; four houses and lots, Nos. 62, 64, 66, and 68 Mott-street, east side, between Bayard and Canal streets, lots each 25 by 94; one three-story brick house and lot, No. 27 Mulberry-street, west side, 25 feet south of Park-street, lot 25 by 74; one lot, with buildings thereon, No. 121 Baxter-street, east side, 25.4 feet south of Hester-street, and an undivided half interest in seven and a half lots on West Sixty-eighth-street, north side, 100 feet west of Ninth-avenue, each lot in size 25 by 100.4. Also, foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Geo. L. Ingraham, Esq., referee, of three houses and lots on 22d Seventy-fourth-street, south side, distant respectively 75 feet from Fourth-avenue, 75, 100, and 144 feet, lots each 18 by 102.2. Also, public auction sale of the four-story high-stoop brown-stone front house, and lease of lot, No. 43 West Forty-eighth-street, north side, 75.8 feet west of Fifth-avenue, lease from Columbia College, lot 22.1 by 100.5, house now rented at $4,000 per annum. Also, sale on account of former purchaser of two lots on West Sixty-eighth-street, south side, 100 feet west of Eleventh-avenue, in size each 25 by 100.5. Also, adjourned foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Joseph Meeks, Esq., referee, of plot of lots, in size 115 by 100.5, on West Sixty-eighth-street, north side, 100 feet west of Eleventh-avenue, with one lot in rear fronting on Sixty-ninth-street.

By Joseph McGuire, adjourned foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Alfred W. Lowerre, Esq., referee, of the four-story brick and basement dwelling and lot of ground, No. 1 Fifty-first-street, south side, 708 feet west of Fifth-avenue; lot 21 by 100.5.

By P. J. Kenaelly, adjourned foreclosure sale, by order of the Supreme Court, Geo. L. Ingraham, Esq., referee, of a house and lot on Rivington-street, north-east corner of Forsyth-street; lot 25.5 by 100.

To-morrow, (Tuesday,) April 29.

By Muller, Wilkins & Co., public auction sale, by order of David M. Clarkson and others, under the direction of Messrs. Wetmore & Bowne, attorneys, as follows: The valuable building lots, viz.: Those on the north-west side of the Grand Boulevard, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and Manhattan-place, commencing 175 feet east of Riverside Park; three lots each 25 by 100.11, and one lot north of One Hundred and Thirtieth-street; one lot south-east corner of St. Nicholas-avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh-street; one lot east side of Fifth-avenue, 100 feet north of Ninety-third-street, opposite Central Park; two lots east side of Seventh-avenue, 75 feet south of One Hundred and Twenty-first-street, commencing 75 feet east of Seventh-avenue; each 25 by 99.11, and one lot north side of One Hundred and Twenty-first-street, in rear of the last described lots, 25 feet west side of Eleventh-avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second-streets. Also, one lot on the east side of Eleventh-avenue, 75.6½ feet north of Ninety-second-street, and two lots north side of Eighty-second-street, 75 feet east of Tenth-avenue; each 25 by 100.5. Also, one lot on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-second-street, commencing 125 feet east of Twelfth-avenue, and Riverside Boulevard, and lots south side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth-street, commencing 100 feet west of Fifth-avenue. Also, executors' sale of City lots, viz.: Those on the north side of Eighty-first-street, at two lots on West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth-street, north side, 200 feet east of Sixth-avenue, each lot fronting 25 feet in size 50 by 158 by 50.1 by 158.

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FOR SALE OR TO RENT, FURNISHED—A first-class four-story house on West 33d-st., near 8th-av.; as the family is breaking up, it will be sold cheap, or rented low to a good tenant. HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—NO. 56 NEW CHURCH-ST., near Thames-st., and adjoining the Trinity School buildings—a five-story brick, lot about 25 by 100. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st., or C. A. KISSAM, No. 6 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND SIX LOTS ON the south-west corner of 116th-st. and Avenue A; fruit and shade trees; location unexceptionable. Apply on the premises.

MERCER-ST., NEAR BROOME.—I will close sale of two lots at great bargains during this week. THOMAS J. STEWART, No. 158 West 21st-st.

FOR SALE—ON LENOX HILL, FURNISHED and painted throughout, No. 165 East 71st-st., three-story high-stoop brown-stone house; terms easy. T. E. POWERS, No. 5½ Pine-st.

BROOKLYN REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE IN BROOKLYN—ELEGANT and commodious first-class brown stone front houses, on Willoughby-av., between Marcy and Nostrand avs., a beautiful drive to Harlem or to the City. Just built in the most substantial manner; location excellent; accessible by three lines of cars; prices moderate, and terms easy. Persons desirous of securing a pleasant home should call and examine for themselves. For photographs and full particulars apply to DE LANCEY W. KNEVELS, No. 58 Wall-st., office of Rutgers Fire Insurance Company, No. 496 Willoughby-av., near Marcy-av., or HUNTINGTON & RICHARDS, Nos. 6 and 10 Pine-st.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

Rapid Transit

ALREADY ESTABLISHED.

For homes on the line of the Central Railroad of New-Jersey, apply to A. D. HOPE or ELSTON MARSH, No. 119 Liberty-st., New-York.

FOR RENT AT STOCKBRIDGE, MASS.

The country-seat known as the Judge Byington estate; house is large and commodious, and in perfect order, having been refitted inside and outside; grounds extensive, and location unsurpassed; will be leased with a portion or the whole of grounds attached, or with cottages for servants if required; two trains daily, to and from New-York. Address HENRY D. CONE, Stockbridge, Mass.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—FOR good City income paying property, on east bank of the Hudson, one hour from New-York, a country-seat of about forty acres, and large river front; in completeness mansion, outbuildings, lawns, shade, fruit (out and under glass,) unsurpassed anywhere. This property, built and perfected by the owner and occupant, is valued at $350,000, and will be sold on fair terms, with early possession; or will be exchanged for good warehouse or store property, well located, and with attractive rent roll. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—AT FRANKLIN, ESSEX County, N. J., on Patterson and Newark Railroad, four minutes' walk from depot, and forty-five minutes from New-York, a beautiful new house, built by days' work; contains all the modern improvements; twelve finished rooms, including bath-room; plenty of closets; marble mantles, &c.; plot contains eight lots; price, $12,000; one-fourth down, balance on mortgage, &c. Also, a new English cottage, price, $8,000. Inquire of J. W. STITT, Franklin, or No. 138 Chambers-st., New-York.

FOR SALE—AT RICHMOND HILL, LONG Island, on South-side Railroad, only thirty minutes (seven miles) from ferry, a number and variety of neat Dwellings; also Lots and beautiful Villa Sites. Place high, well drained, healthy, and restricted against nuisance. Apply to W. FIELDER, No. 231 Broadway, Room No. 13; R. R. HAZARD, No. 110 Broadway, or O. S. FOWLER, on the premises.

BRISTOL, R. I.—FOR SALE, IN THE beautiful and healthy town of Bristol, a gentleman's residence, consisting of fine house, and about twelve lots of ground; it is situated on the waters of the Bristol Bay, and commands a beautiful view of the bay, islands, &c.; splendid boating, fishing, and bathing. Apply to HUGH R. CARR, No. 106 Broadway.

A-A.—TWO FINE DWELLINGS FOR sale or to let, very cheap, and on easy terms; fifty minutes from City Hall; commutation, $68 a year; forty-four trains a day from 5 A. M. to midnight; price, $7,800 and $9,800—WORTHY of attention; fine neighborhood. Inquire of F. PHILLIPS, No. 345 Broadway.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—THE VALUable mill, water-power, tenant houses, &c., at Bennington Falls, Vt., 30 miles from Troy, N. Y.; suitable for any business requiring a large and permanent water-power; will exchange for property in or near New-York City. Apply to the American Standard Flax Spinning Company, No. 88 Gold-st., New-York.

FOR SALE.—A VALUABLE COUNTRY-seat of fifty acres, on Throgg's Neck, Westchester County, five miles from Harlem, formerly belonging to Ralph Barker, deceased, at auction on the premises, at 12 o'clock TO-MORROW, (Tuesday,) April 29, by JAMES M. MILLER. Office No. 28 Pine-st.

ORANGE, N. J.—COUNTRY HOUSES, lands, and village lots for sale; a great variety. Also, furnished and unfurnished houses to let for season or year, by WALTER E. SMITH, formerly Blackwell & Smith, Orange, corner Main and Cone-sts.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

THE SPECIAL ATTENTION OF CAPITALISTS and others is directed to the following advertisement. The property mentioned would be an admirable site for a large hotel, church, or other public building, especially in view of the approaching Centennial Celebration.

FOR SALE:

VERY VALUABLE BROAD-ST. PROPERTY.

All that valuable lot or piece of ground, with the handsome residence, stables, hot-house, and other improvements thereon erected, situate at the south-west corner of Broad and Poplar sts., in the XVth Ward of the City of Philadelphia. Containing in front on Broad-st. 240 feet, and in depth westward along Poplar-st. 160 feet to Carlisle-st.

For particulars as to price and terms apply to HENRY E. FOX, No. 308 Walnut-st., Philadelphia.

N. B.—The above is offered for sale by direction of the executors of the estate of Barnabas Hammett, deceased.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—AT RHINEbeck, the elegant country-seat of Gen. C. S. Wainwright, lying on the Hudson, between Rhinebeck and Barrytown, consisting of a large stone mansion, 55x36 feet, with kitchen extension; about twenty rooms in all, all modern conveniences, and in fine order. There are 327 acres of land, which can be divided into three plots, with handsome building site on each one. Fine out-buildings; extensive accommodation for over 100 head of cattle. For price, rent, and permits, apply to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

WHITESTONE IS TWENTY-FIVE minutes from Hunter's Point, fifty minutes from Madison-square, sixty minutes from City Hall; double track finished this Summer will shorten time ten minutes; forty-one trains daily, from 5:30 A. M. to midnight, by elegant cars of the punctual Flushing and North-side Railroad, which have foot-warmer under each seat. Miller's platform, steam brakes, &c. Only half as far as Mr. A. T. Stewart's Garden City. Convenient to business, concert, theatre, sails, or shopping. Beautiful scenery, boating, driving, fishing. High, dry ground; well drained; pure water. Churches, schools. Village taxes limited by charter to one-half per cent. Property cheap, but rising in value; good investment; $50,000 worth sold last year. Commutation for one year, free to each new house costing over $5,000. Call on H. K. Van Siclen, No. 133 Nassau-st., and get free pass. Take Thirty-fourth-street, or James-slip, (double-deck,) ferry. R. R. Hoyt's will meet you at depot.

ONLY $600 cash and $40 per month will buy a pretty house, six rooms and cellar, in Garden Park, at Whitestone. Lot 30x150. Price $4,200. Commutation for one year free.

VERY pretty house at Whitestone, eight rooms, cellar, closets, bath, range, wash-trays, &c., two lots, for $60 per month and $750 down. One year's commutation free. Five minutes from depot.

Garden Park lots, $10 per month, without interest. Under restrictions. Prices from $300 to $500.

An association wanted to take up a whole block on the plan of the Garden Park at Whitestone. Most liberal terms.

Call on H. K. VAN SICLEN, No. 133 Nassau-st., and get free passes to visit foregoing desirable property.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE AT STAMFORD, CONN.

Residence of the late George W. Elder, consisting of a large house, with all the modern improvements for a first-class residence, gas, bath, hot and cold water, &c., in perfect order, stable, barn, gardener's house, &c., about six acres of improved land, abundance of fruits, situated on Ridgeley Hill, about half a mile from depot; situation high, with a commanding view. This is one of the finest places in the vicinity.

If not sold will be leased for a term of years, furnished. Apply to

N. L. MOCREADY, No. 187 Greenwich-st., New-York, or to GEO. ELDER, Stamford, Conn., Executors.

FOR SALE—A FARM OF ABOUT 800 ACRES, in Montgomery County, Md., twenty-two miles from Washington City, and seven from Rockville, and nine miles from Baltimore; on the premises is a large dwelling-house of brick and stone, out-buildings, and abundance of fruit; also, a saw and grist mill and foundry; the place is well suited for a gentleman's residence, or for a farm on a large scale; price $50,000.

Also, a farm of 150 acres, two miles from Rockville, same State; price $15,000.

Apply to R. S. WILLIS, Esq., No. 5 Beekman-st., Room No. 1, first floor.

FOR SALE—THE WELL-KNOWN residence of Adams Bailey, at Scarsdale, Westchester County, one mile from depot. House built by city architect, Leopold Eidlitz, for permanent or Winter occupancy; stands high, overlooking the Sound and Palisades. Easy terms. Apply to A. J. BLEECKER SON & CO., No. 77 Cedar-st.

ORANGE, N. J.—A SHORT DISTANCE from depot, a fine residence and suitable out-buildings, all in good order, and one or seven acres of land; neighborhood unexceptionable; street macadamized and lighted with gas. Inquire of EDWARD AUSTEN, No. 257 Pearl-st.

ORANGE, N. J., AND VICINITY, SPECIALTY.—Great variety property to rent, sell, and exchange. List for rent and sale on application. I. H. GERRY, No. 29 Nassau, corner Liberty-st.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

WILLIAM KENNELLY Sheriff's Auctioneer.

WILL SELL AT AUCTION, ON WEDNESDAY, April 30, At 12 o'clock M., at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway,

TRUSTEES' SALE,

(By order of the undersigned, Trustees of Walter Rodie, deceased,)

EIGHTH-AVENUE (north-east corner of 58th-st.)—Four five-story brown-stone houses, with stores, Nos. 930, 932, 934, and 936 8th-av.; good buildings; fine location.

FIFTY-FIFTH-STREET—Four-story French-roof brown-stone, No. 237 West 55th-st., in the rear of the above.

SIXTY-EIGHTH-STREET—The undivided half interest of seven lots and part of lot, north side 68th-st., 100 feet west of 9th-av., about 25x100.4.

ONE HUNDREDTH-STREET—Full lot, south side of 100th-st., 200 feet east of 10th-av.

MULBERRY-STREET—No. 27, house and lot, 25x74.

MOTT-STREET—Nos. 68, 70, 72, and 74 Mott-st., houses and lots, each lot 25x94.

BAXTER-STREET—No. 121, front and rear houses.

Maps and particulars at Auctioneer's office, No. 4 Pine-st.

JEREMIAH QUINLAN,
JAMES M. LYDIG,
JOHN E. DEVELIN, } Trustees.

FORTY-EIGHTH-STREET—The valuable four-story brown-stone first-class house, (Columbia College lease,) No. 65 West 48th-st., between 5th and 6th avs.; lot 22.8x100.5.

On SAME DAY, on account of a former purchaser: SIXTY EIGHTH-STREET—Two lots, south side, 100 feet west of 11th-av., 25x100.5, each.

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TWO MILLION DOLLARS.

GREAT CLOSING OUT TRUSTEES' SALE OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY,

Belonging to the

CHICAGO LAND COMPANY,

AT PUBLIC AUCTION,

ON WEDNESDAY,

THE 18TH DAY OF JUNE, 1873.

By the articles of the association of said company, it is provided that all the property in the hands of the trustees in the month of June, 1873, must be sold at auction for cash, to close the trust.

The said property is situated in the CITY OF CHICAGO, and is valued at $1,200,000, and composed largely of river and canal frontage, docked and ready for immediate use. Also, a large number of vacant lots in the immediate vicinity of the docks, all well adapted for business purposes.

The title to this property is unquestioned, having been held and owned by the association for twenty years.

The personal property consists of notes bearing seven per cent. interest, having from one to five years to run, and amounting to about $700,000. These notes were received for deferred payments on land bought of the company by the makers thereof, and their payment is secured by mortgage on the same. TERMS OF SALE CASH. The personal property will be ready for transfer and delivery immediately after the sale to purchasers, of reality will be required to make a deposit on the day of sale of ten per cent. on the amount of their purchases, the balance to be paid within thirty days, or as soon after the sale as deeds can be made out and delivered

MAHLON D. OGDEN,
L. S. BEECHER,
GEORGE WATSON, } Trustees.

H. B. BOGUE, Secretary.

CHICAGO, March 12, 1873.

Office with Ogden, Sheldon & Co., Room No. 24, No. 172 La Salle-st.

SALE OF THE UNITED STATES ARSENAL AT ROME, N. Y.

ORDNANCE OFFICE,
WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 20, 1873.

In pursuance of law, and by direction of the Secretary of War, the lands and buildings of the United States, at Rome, N. Y., known as Rome Arsenal, will be sold by public auction, on the grounds, on MONDAY, June 2, 1873, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.

The terms of sale, as prescribed by law, are one-fourth cash at the time of sale, and the remainder on a credit of one, two, and three years, with interest at six per centum per annum, secured by bond and surety from the purchaser.

Circulars giving detailed description of the property may be had upon application to this office, or to the Commanding Officer of Watervliet Arsenal, West Troy, N. Y., or to Col. S. Crispin, Army Buildings, New-York City.

The property may be inspected upon applying to the non-commissioned officer in charge.

A. B. DYER,
Chief of Ordnance, United States Army.

SALE OF THE UNITED STATES ARSENAL AT VERGENNES, VT.

ORDNANCE OFFICE WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, D.C., March 20, 1873.

In pursuance of law, and by direction of the Secretary of War, the lands and buildings of the United States at Vergennes, Vt., known as the Champlain Arsenal, will be sold by public auction on the grounds on FRIDAY, June 6, 1873, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.

The terms of sale, as prescribed by law, are one-fourth cash at the time of sale, and the remainder on a credit of one, two, and three years, with interest at six per centum per annum, secured by bond and surety from the purchaser.

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EXECUTORS' SALE OF LOTS ON 126TH-ST.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on TUESDAY, April 29, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of executors of J. C. Lights, deceased:

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH-STREET.—Two lots situate on the north side of 126th-st., commencing 350 feet east of 8th-av., together 50x112 feet on west side, 156 feet on east side.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

OF FIFTY-SIX LOTS

ON THE

BOULEVARD,

ST. NICHOLAS, 5TH, 10TH, AND 11TH AVS., 2ND, 124TH, 125TH, 126TH, AND 131ST STS.,

By order of DAVID M. CLARKSON and others, under the direction of Messrs. WETMORE & BOWNE, attorneys.

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THE FIFTY-SIX LOTS

ON THE ABOVE-NAMED AVENUES AND STREETS.

SIXTY PER CENT. ON BOND AND MORTGAGE.

Maps at the office of the auctioneers.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

TO CAPITALISTS.—AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY ON 18TH-ST., NEAR BROADWAY, AND LOTS ON THE BOULEVARD.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on MONDAY, April 28, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:

EAST EIGHTEENTH-STREET.—The valuable property, comprising about three lots of land, with the three-story brick house thereon, situate on the north side of 18th-st., between Broadway and 4th-av., (129.2 feet east of Broadway;) being 81.9 feet front by 92 feet in depth. This property, being near Broadway and Union-square, is one of the most valuable business properties now offering.

BOULEVARD.—Four lots, situate on the east side of the Boulevard, commencing on the south-east corner of 83d-st., each about 25.6x85 feet.

Maps at office of auctioneers, No. 7 Pine-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY ON CHRISTOPHER AND 6TH STS.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on WEDNESDAY, April 30, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of executors:

CHRISTOPHER-STREET.—The two lots, with the frame buildings on the front and brick factory buildings on the rear thereof, situate on the north side of Christopher, between Bleecker and Hudson sts., and known as Nos. 111 and 113.

SIXTH-AVENUE.—The two lots of land, situate on the north side of 6th-av., commencing 83 feet west of Avenue C, and known as Nos. 439 and 441. The lots are leased to March 4, 1874, and the buildings no / thereon belong to the present tenant, and will be removed at the expiration of the lease.

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HOUSE AND LEASE OF LOT NO. 40 WEST 47TH-ST., AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on MONDAY, April 28, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:

WEST FORTY-SEVENTH-STREET.—The elegant substantially built four-story high-stoop brown-stone front house and lease of lot, situate on the south side of West 47th-st., between 5th and 6th avs., and known as No. 40. Lease from Spingler estate expires May 1, 1874, with covenants for renewal. Present ground rent, $300. Lot 25x100.5 feet.

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VALUABLE LOTS ON 134TH AND 135TH STS., near Boulevard and Hamilton-av.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, April 30, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH-STREET.—The two lots, south side, 125 feet east of 13th-av.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH-STREET.—One lot, north side, 475 feet east of 10th-av., and near St. Nicholas-av.

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VALUABLE PROPERTY, SOUTH-WEST CORNER OF JACKSON AND FRONT STS., AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on MONDAY, April 28, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:

JACKSON-STREET.—The two-story and attic brick house and lot, situate on the south-west corner of Jackson and Front sts., and known as No. 79. Lot 16.2x75 feet. Seventy per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage.

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WYOMING, Capt. PRICE, SR.....May 21, at 11½ P. M.
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For Elizabeth, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:40, 8, 8:10, 9, 10, 11, 11:40 A. M., 12 M., 12:20, 1, 2, 2:30, 3, 3:20, 3:40, 4, 4:10, 4:30, 5:20, 5:30, 5:50, 6, 6:10, 6:30, 7:30, 8:10, 10, 11:30, 12 P. M. Sunday, 5:20, 6, and 8:40 P. M.

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9 A. M.—Way-train for Somerville.
7 A. M.—For Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bath, Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Mahanoy City, Mt. Carmel, Hazleton, Towanda, &c., with through cars to Williamsport; connects with Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad.
9 A. M.—Morning Express, daily (except Sundays,) for Easton, Allentown, Harrisburg, and the West; connects at Somerville for Flemington; at Easton for Manch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Towanda, Waverley, &c.
10:15 A. M.—Way-train for Somerville.
12 M.—Way-train for Somerville.
12:50 P. M.—For Flemington, Easton, Bath, Allentown, Manch Chunk, Mahanoy City, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Reading, Columbia, Lancaster, Potter ille, Harrisburg, &c.
2:30 P. M.—For Easton, Bethlehem, and Allentown.
3:15 P. M.—For Plainfield.
4 P. M.—For Somerville and Flemington.
5 P. M.—For Somerville.
5:15 P. M.—For Plainfield.
5:30 P. M.—Evening Express, daily, for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pittsburg, and Chicago.
6 and 6:45 P. M.—For Somerville.
7:30 P. M.—(Emigrant)—For Easton.
9 and 11 P. M.—For Plainfield.

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Passenger depots foot Cortlandt and Desbrosses sts. as follows:

For New-Durham and Maywood—7, 9:10, 10:50 A. M.; 1, 4:30, 5:30, 6:20, and 11:30 P. M.

For Hackensack, Paterson, Hawthorne, Midland Park, and Wortendyke—7, 9:10, 10:50 A. M.; 1, 3:30, 4:30, 6:20, *11:30 P. M.

For Ridgefield Park, Bogota, Rochelle, Dundee Lake, Market Street, and Riverside—7, 10:50 A. M.; 1, 4:30, 5:30, 6:20, and 11:30 P. M.

For Wyckoff, Pompton, and Montclair Junction—7, 9:10, 10:50 A. M.; 3:30, 4:30, 5:30 P. M.

For Campgaw, Oakland, Ramsey's, Mountaindale, and West Bloomingdale—7, 9:10, 10:50 A. M.; 4:30, 5:30 P. M.

For Smith Mills, Char ottesburg, Stockholm, Sandtown, Ogdensburg, and Quarryville—7, 9:10 A. M. 4:30 P. M.

For New-Foundland, Franklin, Hamburg, Deckertown, Unionville, West Town, Johnson, Slate Hill, Middletown, and Bloomingburg—7, 9:10 A. M.; 3:30, *4:30 P. M.

For Pine Bush, Huntsboro, Fallsburg, Monticello, Liberty Falls, and Ellenville—9:10 A. M.; 3:30 P. M.

Returning, leave Liberty Falls at 6:55 A. M.; 1:25 P. M.; Ellenville, 7:40 A. M., 2:10 P. M.; Middletown, 8, 8:35 A. M., 2:37, 6:45 P. M.; West Bloomingdale, 8, 8:20 A. M., 2, 6:04 P. M.; Wortendyke, 8:25, 7:37, 9, 11:23 A. M., 2:37, 4:06, 6:56, 10:50 P. M.; Paterson, 5:43, 6:47, 7:55, 9:10, 11:26 A. M., 2:57, 4:30, 5:40, 8:15 P. M.

Arriving in New-York at 6:55, 8, 9:10, 10:30 A. M.; 12:50, 4:10, 5:40, 8:35 P. M., and 12:50 A. M.

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* Does not run beyond Hawthorne.
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4:00 P. M., Montreal Express, with sleeping-cars from New-York to St. Albans.

6:00 P. M., Express, daily, with sleeping-cars for Watertown and Canandaigua.

8:00 P. M., Pacific Express, with sleeping-cars for Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls; also, for Chicago via both L. S. and M. C. Railroads. This train runs on Sundays.

11:00 P. M., Express, with sleeping-cars for Troy and Albany.

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3 P. M.—Riverhead and Sag Harbor Express trains. (through to Greenport on Saturdays.)
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5 P. M.—Hempstead Express.
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NEW-YORK CITY NEWS.

RAILROAD INTERESTS.

Gould's New Enterprise—Extension of the New-Jersey Southern Road.

For several months past Jay Gould has kept aloof from Wall-street, and his prolonged absence has occasioned much comment among those who were accustomed to see him on "change," and note the result of his various speculations. Within a few days, since the Spring campaign in stocks fairly commenced, he has returned to his accustomed place in the street, and has again taken an active part in speculation. It now transpires that the chief reason for his prolonged absence from Wall-street was that he has been busied with the details for a grand railroad scheme, which will at the same time prove a paying investment, and enable him to compete with the Erie Railroad in its through traffic from the West and South-west. As soon as the special bill was passed by the Delaware Legislature, Gould—who owned the greater part of the New-Jersey Southern—contracted for the building of thirty additional miles of railroad, and for the construction of two new steamers of great carrying capacity. The thirty miles of road completed the line in Delaware and Maryland, and by means of the steamboat steamers the connections will be made by water. The road and the steamers are under contract to be finished by the 1st of July, at which time they will probably be ready for the traveling public.

The steamer Metropolis, designed to run from this City to Sandy Hook, is built to carry thirty-three loaded cars. She is 340 feet long, 87 feet wide, and has tracks and switches traversing every part of her decks for the accommodation of the cars. The Delaware is about of the same dimensions, and will carry twenty-four loaded cars from Bayside across Delaware Bay. Thence connecting roads will carry the passenger to Baltimore, Richmond, Washington, or Norfolk. To the West, by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, the distance will be brought several miles nearer New-York than by the Erie or the New-York Central. Branches diverge from the main line to all important points in New-Jersey, Delaware, and Maryland. The Erie people have become alarmed at the prospect of the completion of this road, and, as rumor has it, have attempted to form an alliance with the New-Jersey Southern, in order to avoid a ruinous competition in through traffic. It is hardly probable that the Erie Road will succeed in gaining control of the new route, either by purchase, agreement, or lease, as a tacit understanding already exists between the Baltimore and Ohio and the New-Jersey Southern, that the latter shall remain an independent trunk line. Propositions looking toward a lease have also been made by other lines, it being offered by one to guarantee an interest of seven per cent. upon the stock of $7,000,000 and the bonded debt of $3,000,000. An important meeting was held in Baltimore, on Saturday, by the representative interests of the New-Jersey Southern and Baltimore and Ohio Roads, but the proceedings as yet have not been made public. The affairs of the road have been the subject of considerable discussion in railroad and financial circles lately, and its stock is becoming a feature in the Exchange.

A REMARKABLE SUICIDE.

Life Past Hearing—A Strange Request.

At about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, while Mr. Geo. E. L. Hyatt, a resident of Fort Washington, was driving past the edge of the woods at One Hundred and Sixty-ninth-street and Tenth-avenue, he was horror-stricken at beholding the body of a man hanging by the neck from one of the lower limbs of a tree near the roadside. Mr. Hyatt stepped out of his wagon and, on examining the body, found that life had been extinct for some hours. Meeting Court Bull, of the Thirty-second Precinct, who was out on patrol, Mr. Hyatt informed the Sergeant of the discovery. Assistance was procured, and the body cut down and removed to the station-house at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth-street and Tenth-avenue. The deceased appears to be a German, about forty years, 5 feet 10 inches in height, light complexion, light brown hair and mustache, blue eyes. He was attired in a dark cloth coat, black pantaloons, and vest, and knit drawers, white flannel undershirt, and cotton shirt, black silk neckrie with green edge, and low shoes. In his pockets were found a bunch of trunk keys, two knives, a pair of steel spectacles with blue glasses, an empty purse, and a pocket-book, in which was a paper on which the following was written. It bore neither date, address, nor superscription:

On one side were destitution, sickness, ruined health, a want of ability to push my way in this world, and deep-felt weariness of life, and nothing to live for. No interest in anything. Sunk down from my position in society, exiled from my Fatherland and my family. Standing here absolutely alone, without a friend, with age advancing against me, as I have no power to resist it. In short, every circumstance about that makes life bearable, and every circumstance present to make existence a burden and a curse. And on the other side, eternal peace. I would humbly ask to take into merciful consideration my miserable life, and what I have to suffer in living. Yes; I humbly dare to hope for a merciful judgment. I hope that my corpse shall not be identified; but, if that should unhappily take place, then I implore, as a dying man's last prayer, that nothing be told to my family about the manner in which I went out of the world. It can do nobody any good, but will surely cause much pain. If something must be told, then let it be that I died of old age, and not suffer much; and so may God take pity on my miserable soul. World, farewell!

The remains were viewed at the station-house by a large number of the residents of the neighborhood, but all failed to identify them. Coroner Keenan has been notified of the case, and will hold an inquest to-day.

LIVING FOR THE FUTURE.

Mr. Beecher on Past Regrets and Future Hopes—A Word for "Poor Jack."

Plymouth Church was filled to its utmost capacity yesterday morning, and many were turned away unable to find standing room in the vestibules and doorways. In announcing the annual collection in aid of the American Seamen's Friend Society, Mr. Beecher said that, from observation, he believed that seamen were more in need to protection than any other class of men. They have the passions of men and all the simplicity of children, and on shore they are preyed upon, lawfully or unlawfully, to an alarming extent, yet they are the messengers who furnish us with luxuries and comforts, and upon the result of whose work so many of us live. From the manner of their life they pick up the vices of society, without having opportunities of receiving the good influences of our religious system. "It is a shame," he said, "that in two great cities there is no public sentiment strong enough to prevent the seamen from being robbed; for, when the officers of the law try to protect sailors from the land-sharks, there seems to be a convulsion in the City, caused by the numbers and power of 'Poor Jack's' enemies."

Mr. Beecher preached on the text, "Jesus said unto him, Follow me; and let the dead bury their dead." from Matthew viii., 22.

Mr. Beecher's sermon was an exhortation to remember that our life lies forward, and not to dwell upon and repine over the past. We must not look back unless we can find enterprise and courage for the future. Retrospection should be a bow to shoot us forward, not an anchor to hold us back. Paradise is before, not behind, any man. Every man has had his temptations and his sins, but it is not a wise using of such a past to dwell upon one's own general sinfulness, unless it helps one to advance. It is wrong for a man to grieve always over the sinfulness of his past life. When he has sinned and repented, he has slain and ended the sin. God has cast it out of our sins, "I will remember them no more," and what He has forgotten, should we remember? We should look back at them only as the pilot may look back at the land—to take the bearings ahead. We are bidden to hope for the future, not to mourn over the past, or the present. It was like the morbid regret over bodily misfortunes or deformity. There is no use in lingering over sores, afflictions, restrictions and limitations, for we are what we are by God's providence. Mr. Beecher then proceeded to show that this is also true of regrets over lost opportunities. A man will grieve over a misspent boyhood, and say that he would give all he is worth to have gone through college. "I should think, that could be cured by looking at some of those who have been to college," said Mr. Beecher. "Suppose a shipwrecked man on a raft at sea sits down and does nothing but moan, 'Oh, if I was only in a boat,' while those who embarked in the boat will complain, 'If we could only get aboard the ship again.' What disgusting manhood would there be in that? On whatever hull you are embarked strive to make it port. Wherever you find yourself make the best of it. Say to yourself, 'By the grace of God I will not throw away this chance as I have in many others.'"

It is still more vain to regret lost wealth, the speaker said. He never saw a man so poor that he didn't bid fair to live till he died. The dying was what we live for, and nothing can take away the glorious coronation of death. We can steer for the grave, and find it without chart or compass. Does a man lose everything because he is stripped of these external adjuncts? Are there no other things than these? He could name men from whom you could take all their wealth and power and influence, and they would still be the same, from their inherent manliness. John Milton, old, blind, dismissed from office, and Shakespeare, poor, and without a theatre of his own, were great, because of the greatness in their own essential selves. There is that in every one, the preacher said, which defied external influences. God and immortality are not touched by any of these. In the storms of life there is a quiet, a retreat, of peace in every man's soul, where none can follow, where he is alone with God, safe from the storm without. What would you think, he asked his hearers, of the manhood of a soldier going forth to responsibilities and duties and whining over the easy life he had left? And Mr. Beecher drew a picture of Gen. Sheridan, ordered to march against the Modocs, but starting and grumbling at having to leave Delmonico's. "I do not make little sin," he said, "of the pleasures of life, but I condemn the regret at losing them. Let us bow to the storm as the flowers do beneath the rain, but let us not prostrate ourselves, but straighten up after it is over, refreshed, washed, stronger. Another thing Mr. Beecher wished to condemn was the mourning and repining of the old, of those who are finishing life, who find fault with everything that is, and praise everything that was. They live in the past and do not see that glorious future so near them. It is one of the reasons why I want to be out of in my health and strength, when I think that I may come to that, when I can see nothing in life but its past, when everything loses its pleasure, when I shall hate little children because they make a noise. I believe, as the Roman Catholics do, in a purgatory, because I have seen it; for where is it if not in that household where sits the man who is wasted and gone, and who is a burden to all? You look away from him when you would think of him. He is withered; he is not ripened and full of sweetness and gentleness and loving kindness. What more wretched than to see a man on the verge of this life, hanging to the body, grasping with its rasping and trembling hands at the things of this life, blind to the celestial glories of immortality just before him?

THE BIBLE.

A Remarkable Discourse in Favor of Its Retention in Schools.

The congregation which assembled at the Brooklyn Academy of Music yesterday numbered little short of 4,000 persons, the building being packed in every part—aisles, orchestra, and private boxes being crowded as well as the regular seats. The congregation included many who are not regular attendants at the Academy or any other place of worship, and who came yesterday to hear the arguments of Rev. T. De Witt Talmage in favor of the use of the Bible in the public schools. The sermon did not disappoint their expectations, the language of the preacher being by turns forcible, eloquent, sensational, and commonplace. All the particularly striking points and local or political hits made by the preacher, were fully appreciated by the congregation, and the discourse was frequently interrupted by applause, not the murmurings of a band of moved spirits, but real, genuine hand-clapping, and stamping in unmeasured approval. After the congregation had settled themselves, and those who were not going to stay had gone away, the service commenced. The hymn, "Rock of Ages," was sung, and Mr. Talmage prayed for fifteen minutes with the congregation, after which he advanced to the stage and announced his text, which, he said, being taken from two chapters of the Bible, was too long for him to read then, but the congregation might look over it after they went home. Then he at once entered on his subject, and advanced a number of arguments against the expulsion of the Bible from the public schools, which may be summarized as follows:

The expulsion of the Bible would decide that a great multitude of children should have no religious culture. The Bible interferes with no man's right, and its expulsion would be warring on the consciences of men. The right to take it out of the public schools implies the right to take out any other book that acknowledges God. The Bible is a supreme book from Supreme Inspiration, and has a right to be introduced anywhere. Its expulsion from the public schools, therefore, would be nothing short of dishonoring the Almighty. Common-school education, said the preacher, is a creation of Protestantism. It is stated that the Catholics will at some time demand a portion of the public funds for their schools. It would be better to let the public funds go to them, and have the common schools depend for support and maintenance on the charity of the Christian Church, than that the Bible should be taken from the children's hands.

The God of the Bible seems to have taken this country under his special protection and intends its people to be a Christian, Bible-reading race. Intellect without moral culture is worse than no understanding at all.

Here the preacher branched off into a recital of the dangers threatened by the machinations of politicians. There are some of that class here to-day, said he, I know them by the bloated cheek, blood-shot eye, and that unmistakable lip. [Laughter and applause.] There is a political tempest arising, however, that will sweep the drunken and fraudulent crew that hang around the city halls in our cities to political perdition, and finally to a bottomless pit. [Applause.] In conclusion, the preacher said, he preferred to stand with the class of great men who founded and maintained the Constitution, and who believe that the Bible should be in every Christian school, than with men who, born in the ditch of the political caucus, crawl through the slime of partisanship and demand expulsion of the Bible to please the newly-landed emigrant, and thereby secure his vote and political support.

The sermon was interspersed with numerous political "hits," and much sensational and very plain language, all of which seemed to increase the interest of the congregation.

TRUE BEAUTY.

Fashion and Folly—Seasonable Advice to Young Women.

At the Beekman Hill M. E. Church, last evening, Rev. Wm. C. Steel preached a sermon to young women on "True Beauty." The text was, "Favor is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman that feareth the Lord she shall be praised," from the book of Proverbs. Woman's place now, said the preacher, is far in advance of what it was in the days of chivalry. She now stands side by side with man as a teacher and savior of our race. Civilization has its origin in chivalry. None but a coward and a brute would claim any superiority to woman because of her being the weaker vessel. She was created man's equal. She has only official, and not a natural inferiority. Christianity is the only religion which presents woman to man as a companion, all other religions abandon her to him as a slave. If superiority is measured from mere muscular force, the lion is superior to man, and man is superior to woman. Man cannot elevate his companion without elevating himself. Beauty, truth, and goodness have ever been the objects of philosophy from the earliest ages. Beauty is the ideal demand of sensibility. It possesses five qualities, viz., order, regularity, proportion, harmony, and variety. Beauty is ephemeral; disease destroys it, and the grave sweeps it away. The true woman will not be content to be a mere toy. External beauty and temporary attractions can never win permanently. Beauty has power to destroy, and it has power to redeem and to elevate; where virtue accompanies it, it is the heart's paradise. Harmonious in expression, tasteful dress, is an aid to beauty, and God intended that men and women should array themselves attractively, not capriciously. If God Almighty ever intended that women should dress themselves in the manner common to the present day, He certainly had no regard for the law of taste. But He never did intend that women should assimilate themselves in their figures to dromedaries.

Vanity is expensive, especially when it arrays itself in purple and fine linen. The desire to please by proper methods is right, but a sensible man and woman will never be slaves of fashion and follow its ridiculous caprices.

There are many in this great town who starve themselves to appear in a good hat and good clothes. Good men and women should protest against the follies of fashion. It is humiliating to see women dressed as fashion dictates. One-tenth of our exports is sent to foreign lands to pay for jewelry and trinkets. Is it any wonder that there is a stringency in the money market? Unfortunately in our state of society, the one who can dress most gorgeously, is sure to have honorable mention in the court journal. At Saratoga, Mr. Steel said he was shown a woman, who it was said, changed her dresses eight times a day. He pitied the man who married such a bundle of dry-goods and haberdashery, and no man with any brains would ever unite himself to such.

Mr. Steel addressed some words of advice to the young women present, telling them that they would win the esteem and admiration of men more by ignoring the absurd follies of fashion and exhibiting a pure and holy life. The young woman who knew nothing but fashion, knew nothing about the duties of a household, would be a drag to the fool who should marry her, and they will be likely to bring up at last in an Indiana divorce-court.

Woman with her sympathy—woman with her love—is one of God's missionaries. Religion is the main element, and the true basis of her character.

A Sailor Jumps from the Main-topgallant Yard of an Ocean Steamer.

A terrible suicide occurred, yesterday afternoon, on board the French steamer Pereire, of the General Transatlantic line, lying at Pier No. 50 North River. The chief quartermaster of the Pereire was Yoes Letrocques, a native of Havre, about thirty-five years of age, who had always been considered a very capable and reliable petty officer. During the last voyage of the Pereire from Havre his shipmates noticed that Letrocques had acted rather strangely, but very little attention was paid to the matter, as it was supposed that he was out of spirits. During yesterday Letrocques appeared unusually depressed in spirits, and at dinner it was noticed that he refused his usual ration of wine. Between 12½ and 1 o'clock Letrocques was standing at the gangway of the steamer, his usual and proper post when on duty, when suddenly, and while the attention of the officer of the deck was attracted in another direction, he sprang into the shrouds and quickly ascended to the main-topgallant yard. His shipmates who watched him from the deck of the steamer, state that he appeared to be suffering under some terrible excitement. Clinging with his left hand to the main-topgallant stay he gazed intently into the water. In a moment he released his hold of the stay and threw himself to the deck of the steamer, a distance of nearly 100 feet. The unfortunate man struck on the spar-deck, and was instantly killed. His skull was terribly fractured, as also were both his legs, and his back was broken. His shipmates picked up the remains and placed them in the long-boat. Coroner Young was notified, and, by his permission, the body was removed to an undertaker's establishment, where an inquest will be held to-day. Mr. Mackenzie, the agent of the line, has assumed the charge of the funeral, the expense of which will be defrayed by the company. Letrocques was a married man, and leaves a widow and several children residing in Havre.

THE PATTENBERG RIOTS.

The Rioters to be Tried To-Day—A History of the Fatal Affray.

The trials of the Pattenberg (N. J.) rioters—Patrick McCoy, John Coyle, Bernard McFadden, Patriek Deley, John Boyne, Cornelius McCreavor, and David Collegn—for murder in the first degree, will commence this morning before Chief-Justice Beasley, at Flemington, Hunterdon County. The case, though it has attracted little attention except in the county where the riot occurred, is one of the most remarkable ever brought before a jury in New-Jersey, and the trial will probably be a protracted one. The feeling among the people of the surrounding counties has been very bitter against the rioters, and at the Fall session of the courts it was even anticipated that some difficulty might occur between citizens and the railroad laborers, or that the latter might be emboldened, should an opportunity offer, to attempt to rescue the prisoners. The portion of the State where the troubles occurred last Fall is inhabited largely by the rougher classes, and the riots grew out of a singular condition of affairs. Gen. Parker had been engaged in the construction of a railroad from Easton to Perth Amboy, intending to make the latter an outlet for the immense coal product of the Lehigh Valley. This road passes through the heart of Hunterdon County, and it was necessary to construct a tunnel through the Musconetcong Mountains, where a large force of white and colored laborers had been collected. They were all under the control of Mr. Charles McFadden, the contractor, who had recently been awarded on contracts in Virginia, and finding the colored men willing laborers, had brought about 150 of them to Pattenberg. The tunnel under construction was about a mile long, and on the west end only was any work in progress. On the east end, however, where a cut was being constructed, about equal numbers of white and colored laborers were at work. A portion of the colored men were also employed on the farm of Mrs. Carter, about a mile distant from the tunnel, where the road-bed was being constructed. On the 20th of last month, by Mr. Henry A. Cram and Mr. George H. Moore against Wm. M. Tweed and others, for mortgages on the five buildings included between No. 922 and 980 in Broadway. These houses are valuable property, being at present occupied as stores, and it is expected the sale will realize a large sum.

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NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

Samuel Sypher, a vagrant, was found dead yesterday morning on the sidewalk at Seventh-avenue and Thirty-first-street.

The Fifty-fourth anniversary of American Odd-fellowship will be celebrated this evening by appropriate exercises at Association Hall.

The officers and Executive Committee of the Editors' and Publishers' Association of this State will meet at the Metropolitan Hotel, to-morrow, at 12 o'clock.

The Uhland Bund Vocal Society celebrated its nineteenth anniversary, at the Harmonie Rooms, in Essex-street, last night, by a vocal and musical entertainment, followed by a ball.

The New-York Sing Academie gave a musical and dramatic entertainment at the Germania Assembly Rooms, which was well patronized by the friends of that organization.

The first championship game between Resolutes, of Elizabeth, and Philadelphias also is to be played at Waverly Grounds to-day at 3 o'clock. Trains leave foot of Cortlandt-street at 2 P. M.

A lecture will be delivered to-morrow evening at Steinway Hall, by Mr. J. P. Solomon, entitled "The Wandering Jew." The lecture will depict the trials, sufferings, and privations of the Hebrew race.

At 2 o'clock yesterday morning, a slight fire occurred in a one-story frame stable, No. 242 East Forty-fourth-street, owned by William Speight, and occupied by John Flynn. Damage $100; insured for $1,000.

Annie Reynolds, aged thirty, of No. 69 Charlton-street, during a fight with Elizabeth Kelly, of No. 307 Mercer-street, was struck on the head with a large club and severely injured. Mrs. Kelly was arrested.

A meeting of the Association of Swiss Ladies, organized for the purpose of mutual benevolence, was held at No. 62 Fourth-street yesterday afternoon, when a number of new members were enrolled.

John Roach, of No. 28 Henry-street, Jersey City, while crossing the North River in the ferry-boat Newark, fell overboard, and was rescued from drowning by some men in a row-boat. He was taken to his home.

We are indebted to the management of the White Star line for late and valued additions to our European files, received by the steamship Celtic, which left Liverpool on Saturday, and Queenstown on April 18, and reached this port yesterday.

At the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, before Justice Cox, Stephen Travis, of No. 28 Horatio-street, was required to find $1,500 bail to answer a charge of felonious assault preferred against him by Terence Ryan, of Thirteenth-street and Eighth-avenue.

During a fracas at No. 209 Mott-street, John Maloney, aged thirty-five, of No. 245 East Eighteenth-street, was struck on the head by a bottle by James Stretch, of No. 199 South Fifth-avenue, and was severely injured. He was attended by Dr. McDonald, and Stretch was arrested.

During a fight yesterday morning at No. 106 Bayard-street, between James Campbell and Louis Jacobs, Louis Barowsky interfered to separate the combatants, and was struck in the breast and severely injured. He was taken to Park Hospital, and Campbell and Jacobs were arrested.

Serapio Serpa, the Cuban, who shot Manuel Mantilla, in the face during a quarrel on Saturday evening in the saloon of Leon Martinez, No. 95 Maiden-lane, as already published in THE TIMES, was brought before Justice Scott, at the Tombs, yesterday, and remanded, as Mantilla was unable to appear.

John Fay, a longshoreman resident on Tenth avenue, was committed for trial at the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, in default of $2,000 bail, on a charge of stabbing Terence Molloy, of No. 226 Tenth-avenue, in the back and head, during a quarrel which occurred between the men on the 16th February last.

Wm. H. Morton, of Mount Vernon, who shot Michael Costello, of No. 340 Pearl-street, through the hand, during an affray in the liquor store of Jules Johnston, at the corner of Fulton and South streets, on Saturday evening, as reported in THE TIMES, was arraigned before Justice Scott, at the Tombs Police Court, yesterday, and held in $1,000 bail for trial.

BROOKLYN.

On Saturday night an unknown man, seemingly well dressed, entered the ferry gates at the foot of Broadway, Williamsburg, and after paying his fare for New-York, stepped on the boat Idaho, lying in the slip. A few minutes afterward he walked deliberately to the front of the boat, jumped overboard, and disappeared.

LONG ISLAND.

The Town Board of Jamaica met on Saturday, and appointed Mr. Abraham B. Remsen Keeper of the Town Hall.

The schooner William H. Keeney will be launched at Greenpoint to-morrow. She is 128 feet keel, 32½ feet beam, 11 feet depth of hold, and 550 tons burden.

On Thursday evening next the Life-Saving Benevolent Association of Huntington will present a gold medal to Miss Lucinda Conklin, and a silver one to John Clare, for their heroic conduct in saving Richard Mason from drowning off Huntington Bay last Winter, when the boy was in the act of floating out.

The body of a man about forty-five years of age, was found on the beach, near Bath, yesterday. The deceased wore black pants and vest, white shirt, cotton socks, gaiter shoes, and no coat. He had apparently been two or three months in the water. An inquest will be held by Justice Bennett, at Bay Ridge.

A homeopathic medical society has been organized in Queens County, with the following officers: President, C. A. Belden, M. D.; Vice-President, C. E. Rushmore, M. D.; Secretary, H. E. Powell, M. D.; Treasurer, B. L. B. Bayliss, M. D.; Delegates to the State Society, Chas. F. Leggee, M. D.; Wm. A. Allen, M. D., and C. E. Gilbert, M. D.

The surveyors of the proposed extension of Stewart's Railroad to Northport finished their work last week. They report the grade an easy one—at no point more than 100 feet to the mile. The terminus will be at or near Soudder's dock, where there is ample depth of water and sufficient room for the erection of depot buildings, engine-houses, machine-shops, &c. It is proposed, also, to establish a ferry between Northport and New-York for freighting, and also to some point across the Sound, probably Norwalk.

The Directors of the Queens County Agricultural and Horticultural Society held a meeting at the Fair-grounds in Mineola on Saturday, when the premium-lists for both the agricultural and horticultural fairs were revised, and Wednesday, June 16, appointed as the time for holding the horticultural exhibition. In connection with this exhibition, a festival will be held by the ladies of the county, the proceeds of which will be devoted to the benefit of the Society. It was decided to hold the annual agricultural exhibition on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, the 1st, 2d, and 3d of October next.

STATEN ISLAND.

One-half of the village of Edgewater is to be sold at public auction on the 18th of May for unpaid taxes. The property comprises 215 houses, 1,000 lots, and some one hundred acres of land.

NEW-JERSEY.

An unknown man died yesterday morning in the hospital, at Jersey City, from injuries received by falling from the 11½ train in Newark on the Pennsylvania Railroad, Friday night. The man was intoxicated at the time.

Early yesterday morning Charles Engelhoffer, of Philadelphia, while temporarily insane, or laboring under an attack of delirium tremens, jumped from an eastward-bound train on the Pennsylvania Railroad, on the meadows at East Newark, and was slightly injured.

Suits Against W. M. Tweed—A Sale of Property To-Day.

At the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, Messrs. Muller, Wilkins & Co. will sell by public auction, at 12 o'clock to-day, five buildings, situated in Broadway, corner of Twenty-first-street, the property of Wm. M. Tweed. The sale has been ordered by Mr. George De Forest Lord, the referee, in accordance with a judgment obtained in the Supreme Court, on the 20th of last month, by Mr. Henry A. Cram and Mr. George H. Moore against Wm. M. Tweed and others, for mortgages on the five buildings included between No. 922 and 980 in Broadway. These houses are valuable property, being at present occupied as stores, and it is expected the sale will realize a large sum.

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THE STATE OF TRADE.

BUFFALO, April 26.—Imports for the week ending to-day—Flour, 28,500 bbls.; Wheat, 86,110 bushels; Corn, 1,69[illegible],000 bushels; Oats, 104,311 bushels; Barley, 22,480 bushels; Rye, 1,200 bushels. Exports for week ending to-day—Wheat, 58,820 bushels; Corn, 158,597 bushels; Oats, 174,278 bushels; Barley, 12,725 bushels; Rye, 800 bushels; Peas, 3,600 bushels. Flour quiet; sales of Western Spring at $7 50@$7 75; Bakers, $7 75@$8 25; Amber, $8 50@$9 25; White, $9 50@$10 25. Wheat firmer; sales of White Michigan at $1 77; quoted, Milwaukee No. 1 Spring at $1 82@$1 85; Chicago do., $1 45; White Canada, $1 76@$1 90; White Michigan, $1 80@$1 90. Corn higher; sales, 1,800 bushels Western, on track, at 85c.; 7,000 bushels do. at 86c.; 2,200 bushels do. at 56½c. Oats steady; sales, 1,000 bushels Western, in store, at 46c. Barley quiet; sales of Canada at 95c.@$1; No. 2 Western, 90c.@95c.; Two-rowed State, 90c. Rye, 94c.; Four-rowed State, 95c. Rye nominal at 95c. Barley-malt quiet at $1 20@$1 10 for Western; $1 10@$1 15 for Prime Winter Western; $1 20@$1 25 for Prime Canada. Rye-malt held at 90c.

ST. LOUIS, April 26.—Flour quiet and unchanged: only an order trade. Wheat in fair demand and higher; sales of No. 2 Soft Spring at $1 33; No. 3 do. held higher; No. 2 Fall firm and steady at 36c. for No. 2 Mixed, on track; 45½c. for sacked. Oats dull and declining at 31½@32c. for No. 2, on track; 36c. for sacked. Barley firm; sales of No. 3 Spring, Rye firm at 70c. for No. 2. Whisky firm at 87c. Pork lower at $19 seller July; $19 25 seller August; Dry-salted Meats held firmly, but little doing; some settlements made at 9c.@9½c. for Clear Rib and Clear Sides. Bacon lower but little doing; Clear Rib and Clear Sides sold at 10c.@10½c., seller last half of May; jobbing and order lots sold at 10¾c.@11c. for Shoulders; 10c. for Clear Rib Sides; 12c.@12½c. for Clear Sides. Lard firm and nominal; lower; prime Steam offered at 9c. without buyers. Live Hogs and Cattle unchanged. Receipts—4,000 bbls. Flour, 2,000 bushels Wheat, 23,000 bushels Corn, 13,000 bushels Oats, and 1,400 Hogs.

CHICAGO, April 26.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady; No. 2 Spring $1 25 cash, $1 25½ for May, $1 28½ for June; No. 3 do., $1 16; Rejected nominal. Corn in fair demand and lower; No. 2 Mixed, 37c. cash, 37¾c. for May, 40½c. for June; Rejected, 33½c.@34c. Oats steady, No. 2, 24½c.@24¾c. for May; Rejected, 22½c.@23c. Rye firm and scarce; No. 2 at 69c.@70c. for fresh. Barley dull and nominal. Mess Pork lower, quiet, and weak; $17 40 for May, $18 for June. Lard a shade lower, quiet, and weak; $9 10 for May, $9 25@$9 30 for June. Bulk Meats easier and quiet; sales Short Rib Middles for May $8 87½ loose, for June $9 12½@$9 20 loose. Bacon dull; Clear Rib and Clear Sides, 10½c.@10¾c. Whisky steady at 87c. Receipts—7,000 bbls. Flour, 12,000 bushels Wheat, 107,000 bushels Corn, 67,000 bushels Oats, 3,000 bushels Barley. Shipments—5,000 bbls. Flour, 34,000 bushels Wheat, 169,000 bushels Corn, 23,000 bushels Oats, 7,000 bushels Barley.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 26.—Flour firm and in fair demand; sales of Family Extra at $6 50; A No. 1, $8; Fancy, $9. Wheat nominal at $1 20@$1 30 for Red and Amber; $1 65@$1 70 for White. Corn in good demand at 84c.@86c. for shelled and sacked. Oats selling at 50c. for sacked, 48c. for sacked, from store. Rye firm at 70c. Provisions quiet. Pork sold at $18 75@$19. Bacon—Sales of Shoulders at 8½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 10½c.@10¾c.; Clear Sides, 10½c., packed. Lams firm at 13c.@13½c. for plain; 14½c.@15c. for Sugar-cured. Lard very packed. Bulk Meats sold at 7½c. for Shoulders; 9½c. for Clear Rib Sides; 9¾c. for Clear Sides. Lard firm at 9¾c. for tierce; 10¼c. for keg; 11c. for steam. Whisky steady at 86c.

OSWEGO, N. Y., April 26.—Flour unchanged; sales 1,200 bbls. at $6 75 for No. 1 Spring; $9 75 for Amber Winter; $10 50 for White Winter; $11 for Double Extra. Wheat quiet and unchanged; sales of prime White Canada at $2 06¾. Corn steady; sales of 3,700 bushels Western at 80c. Barley quiet; up-Lake Canada held at $1 35. Corn-meal sold at $3 for feed, and $1 25 for unbolted per cwt. Mill-feed unchanged at $21 for Shorts; $22 for Shipstuffs; and $23 for Middlings per ton. Railroad Freights—Flour, to Philadelphia, 60c.; to Boston, 70c.; to New-York, 60c., and to Albany, 42c. Receipts, by lake, 75,000 feet of Lumber.

CINCINNATI, April 26.—Flour firm at $7 50@$7 75. Wheat steady at $1 65@$1 67. Corn firm at 43c. Rye firm at 86c. Oats firm at 40c.@42c. Barley firm. Butter firm and in fair demand. Provisions quiet and easier. Pork quiet; held at $18 75; bid, $18 50. Lard quiet; nothing doing; Steam held at 9½c.; Kettle, 9¾c. Bulk Meats easier; sales of Shoulders at 7c., spot; 7¼c. bid, buyer May; Clear Rib Sides 9c., spot 9¾c. bid, buyer May; 9½c. bid, buyer June. Bacon easier at 7¾c.@8c. for Shoulders; 9¾c. for Clear Rib Sides; 10¼c.@10¾c. for Clear Sides. Whisky firm at 86c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 26.—Provisions, advancing tendency. Lard active and higher; held at 10c. Flour unchanged, quiet, and steady. Wheat quiet but firm; Red $1 90@$1 92; Amber, $1 95@$1 98; Spring Amber, $1 82. Rye held at 84c.@85c. Corn in improved demand; Yellow, 62c.@63c.; Mixed Western, 61½c. White, 64c. Oats active; White, 46c.@52c.; Mixed, 48½c.@49½c. Petroleum firmer; Crude, 14c.; Refined, 19¼c. Groceries quiet and weak. Whisky held at 86c.

CHICAGO, April 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400 head; market quiet, but prices good; Steers steady and unchanged at $5 00@$5 10 for good; $4 60@$5 25 for choice, $3 75@$4 75 for common to good Stockers; shipments, 3,964 head. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000 head; market active and a shade higher at $5 20@$5 50 for medium to choice; sales of a few common mixed lots at $5 15@$5 20; shipments, 10,289 head.

NEW-ORLEANS, April 26.—Hay firmer at $24 for Prime; $28 for Choice. Dry-salted Meats quiet at 7¼c. for Shoulders; 9¾c. for Clear Rib Sides; and 10¼c. for Clear Sides. Bacon firmer; 8½c. for Shoulders; 10¾c. for Clear Rib Sides; 10¾c. for Clear Sides. Sugar in better demand at 7c.@8c. for common fair to good fair. Exchange—Sterling, 127¼; New-York Sight, ¼ premium; Gold, 117¾.

MILWAUKEE, April 26.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady; No. 1 at $1 35¼; No. 2 at $1 27½. Corn firm and scarce; No. 2 Mixed, 41c. Rye steady; No. 1 at 89c. Barley dull and nominal; No. 2 Spring, 85c. Lake Freights—Wheat, to Buffalo, 3½c.; to Oswego, 4c. Receipts—4,000 bbls. Flour, 23,000 bushels Wheat. Shipments—2,000 bbls. Flour, 1,000 bushels Wheat.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 26.—Spirits of Turpentine dull at 46c. Resin quiet at $2 75 for Low No. 1; $3 for Extra No. 1; $3 50 for Low Pale. Crude Turpentine steady at $2 for Yellow Dip; and $4 05@$4 10 for Virginia. Tar steady at $3.

CLEVELAND, April 26.—Flour firm and in fair demand. Wheat quiet but firm at $1 75 for No. 1 Red Winter; $1 68 for No. 2 Red. Corn quiet at 80c. Oats firm at 44c. for No. 1 State. Petroleum in good demand and unchanged.

Printing Cloths Market.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 26.—Printing Cloths market firm; prices advanced ⅛c. during the week; sales of the week, 262,000 pieces, including 140,000 standard, 64 squares, for May, June, and July, at 6¾c.; 41,000 extra 64s, early in the week, at 6¾c.; 25,000 do. at the close at 7c., and 7,000 56 by 60 at 5½c.

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